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? WHY PAY RENT ?

Buy a Home of Your Own in the beautiful CAPITOL HILL ADDITION. We have recently purchased the seventy acres of the old Brevard school, and have platted it in acre lots with wide streets and alleys. This property is nicely situated, being within from 8 to 10 blocks of the center of the business portion of Ada. We expect to give you a chance to own a valuable lot in the capital of Pontotoc county by selling these lots on the installment plan.

Ada is now the county seat, and has a great future before it. We have three railroads with a prospect of two more, a cotton compress, a cotton oil mill, a pressed brick plant, and numerous smaller industries. Also have a large cement plant under construction that will employ 250 men, there is under construction a cannery factory, and the city is spending \$40,000 on additional water works.

WHY SHOULD ADA NOT GROW?

CAPITOL HILL lies northeast of the business portion of the city, and has a fine view of the city. Plenty of good water at from 15 to 20 feet.

If you expect to grow up with the town now is the time to GET IN ON THE GROUND FLOOR.

We also do a general Real Estate and Insurance business. See us for any business in our line. Office first door west of the Harris hotel.

Beard & Blanks
Real Estate and Insurance

BIG BLAZE AT MUSKOGEE... MASONIC RECORDS LOST

Muskogee, I. T., Feb. 25.—At an early hour Sunday morning the Culbertson building, together with its entire contents, was destroyed by fire. The ground floor was occupied by the Fair Mercantile Company, one of the largest department stores in the city. The upper floors were occupied by real estate and professional men. Electric light wires were melted and exposed wires threatened the entire block, necessitating the shutting down of the power plant, putting the city in total darkness.

The suddenness with which the fire broke out caused several narrow escapes of persons sleeping in the building.

Aside from the enormous loss financially, the most distressing feature is the entire loss of the records of the local and grand Masonic lodges of Indian Territory. The records were kept in the office of Major Walron, secretary of the chapter and commandery.

The loss is estimated at \$89,000, with \$56,300 insurance.

Democrat in New Dress.

The Weekly Democrat in its last issue comes out beamingly in a new

A Stitch in Time.

will save nine. So will a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup always kept on hand save many a spell of sickness. A sure cure for Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis and Whooping Cough. Mrs. S. Hot Springs, Ark. writes: "I keep a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup in my medicine chest, and thank my forethought many times. It has prevented many severe spells of sickness." Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

A Vote Winner.

The News respectfully solicits the printing of your cards announcing to your friends and those you may meet, your candidacy. The card method of soliciting support has been demonstrated to be good; it helps to become acquainted and will win you votes.

Piles of people have Piles. Why suffer from piles when you can use DeWitt's Carbized Witch Hazel Salve and get relief. Nothing else so good. Beware of imitations. See that the name is stamped on each box. Sold by Crescent Drug store, F. Z. Holley, Prop.

BRYAN AND BEVERIDGE TO DEBATE ON STATE'S RIGHTS

New York, Feb. 25.—A special to the Herald from Washington says:

In the joint debate which they will begin in the forthcoming number of the Reader Magazine, William J. Bryan of Nebraska and A. J. Beveridge of Indiana join issue on the question of the power of the federal government.

Mr. Bryan stands squarely with the citizens of San Francisco in their demand that they be accorded the right to regulate attendance upon their own schools in their own way.

"The Nation vs. State's Rights" is the topic of the first debate. Mr. Bryan speaks distinctly for the old idea of quality of government, while Senator Beveridge defends what he terms "the people's instinctive effort toward national unity."

"Upon no subject will the people of a state insist more strenuously in controlling their own affairs than in matters of education," says Mr. Bryan.

"The school room is in close and constant contact with the home and the parents having a vital interest in the instruction of their children and an intimate acquaintance with local conditions would not and should not consent to national control or supervision."

Senator Beveridge finds the "heart of the present battle against the people's instinctive effort toward national unity" to be the unrighteous pocket-book, which finds itself threatened by national control or supervision.

"Every corporation so great that its business is nation-wide is championing state's rights," Mr. Beveridge declares.

Another Railroad Possibility.

The St. Louis, Springfield and Oklahoma Western Railway company, with \$3,750,000 capital stock, was granted a charter at Guthrie Saturday by Secretary Charles H. Filson. Headquarters are to be maintained at Lawton and Sulphur, and the road is to be built 225 east from Lawton to Sulphur, thence northeast through McAlester and Stigler to Sallisaw. The incorporators are C. S. Stocker, of Stigler, W. T. Douglas, R. Downing and A. D. Goodenough of Sulphur and J. J. Beall and J. D. F. Jennings of Oklahoma City. Taking the route defined the line could scarcely afford to miss Ada.

This is a reincorporation of this company. To the group of incorporators there has been a valuable addition—G. S. Stocker, of Stigler. He is a practical and prominent railroad builder, well known in Ada as having been connected with the construction of the M. K. & T., through here. Moreover, Mr. Stocker holds a friendly feeling for Ada, which is an item often in securing railroad lines.

Paint and Paper.

Wilson & Nash have latest sample books of wall paper. It's worth your while to figure with them before having any papering or painting done. Guarantee satisfaction. West of Central Hotel.

When you want a nice fat chicken phone Judge Hilton, chicken specialist.

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SUPREME COURT DECIDES IT HAS NO JURISDICTION

The Oklahoma supreme court Saturday night held it had no jurisdiction to act in the case wherein the commissioners of Greer county asked an injunction prohibiting the constitutional convention from dividing that county. All seven members of the bench were present, and it is understood the vote reaching the decision was four to three.

Associate Justice Clinton S. Irwin, however, was the only member to give a dissenting opinion. The majority opinion simply held that the territorial supreme court possesses appellate jurisdiction only.

Chief Justice John H. Burford handed down the majority opinion, holding the supreme court has no original jurisdiction in injunction cases. Under this decision, therefore, the Greer county commissioners may file their case in the district court here immediately and then appeal to the supreme court if necessary.

Justice Bayard P. Hainer held absolutely that the convention has power to do whatever it may please, wherein it is not repugnant to the enabling act.

and the federal constitution, and if the constitution is adopted by the people then the constitutionality must be tested by the president of the United States. He held that this complaint of Greer county should be filed with President Roosevelt.

Chief Justice Burford admitted that the case was a novelty in legal history.

The case was argued in the court for the plaintiff by former United States Attorney Horace Speed and for the convention by Delegates Henry F. Asp (republican) of Guthrie, and W. A. Ledbetter (democrat) of Ardmore.

Notice.

The Democrats of the city of Ada are requested to meet at the United States Commissioners court room Monday night, February 25, at 7:30 o'clock for the purpose of electing officers of the Ada Democratic Club and to transact such other business as may be deemed advisable.

In case the court room can not be secured the meeting will be held at the Mayor's Office.

J. P. Wood,
President Ada Democratic Club.

NEARING END OF SENATOR BAILEY'S INVESTIGATION

Austin, Texas, Feb. 25.—The following statement was handed to the press last night from Senator Bailey's headquarters:

Many friends and supporters of Senator Bailey throughout the State have requested us to notify them when the report of the investigating committee would be before the Legislature for final action, and in response to this request from such a great number, we deem it proper to say to them that our information is that steps will be taken in the Senate on Monday looking to immediate and final settlement of the issue in that body.

We are also advised that the subcommittee of the House has about completed its labors. This being the case, the full committee will doubtless report to the House some time Monday its findings. Based on this assumption, the report of the House committee will be before the House for consideration on Tuesday morning.

In our opinion this report in its findings will so clearly exonerate Senator

Bailey and vindicate him, it would seem that no reasonable man ought to deny him the fullest exoneration and the most complete vindication of every charge made against him before he returns to Washington to qualify as Senator from this imperial State for another six years.

However, we do not desire to disappoint our friends or deceive the public. Senator Bailey has many personal as well as political enemies who will doubtless seek this as a last opportunity to undertake to humiliate him at home and injure him abroad by casting their vote against such a resolution of vindication as he will be entitled to. There certainly can not be a very considerable number of those after the committee hearings most of them have heretofore had from their constituents. Delay will, of course, be parliamentary procedure resorted to, the effect of which will be to reflect injury.

Loyal Democrats of Texas who have waited patiently for the end will, we are assured, tolerate no further procrastination.

M. LEVIN
NEW and SECOND HAND
FURNITURE

It Does Not Matter

What Line You are Interested in--It Will Pay You to Look Us Over.

7 bars Crystal White Soap for	2 c
12 bars Fairbanks' Ark Soap for	25c
10 bars Swiss Laundry Soap	25c
2 boxes Red Cross Bluing	5c
1 lb. Golden or Castor Oil Axe Grease	5c
4 doz. plain Clothes Pins	5c
3 boxes Searchlight Matches	10c
2 boxes Defiance or Faultless Starch	15c
4 cans Eagle Lye	25c
2 bottles good Ink	5c
1 lot fine Toilet Soap worth 25c, goes at	.15c
1 lot fancy Work Baskets worth 25c, go at	10c
2 China Nest Eggs	5c
1 1/2 qt. Granite Pans	5c
No. 2 plain Lamp Chimney	5c
No. 2 fancy Lamp Chimney	15c
1 pint Granite Cups	5c

Surprise Store

The People Who Put The Price Down

STILL STRONGER AGAINST ALIEN LAND OWNERSHIP

Guthrie, Ok., Feb. 25.—The special committee to handle the question of alien ownership of land and the ownership of land by corporations reported to the Constitutional convention a new provision, that aliens shall not be allowed to own land in Oklahoma, and the Legislature is charged with the enactment of laws whereby if they acquire land by descent or otherwise they shall either dispose of it within five years or forfeit it to the State. This provision does not apply to Indians born within the State, or to aliens who may become bona fide inhabitants of the State.

The committee suggests that no corporation be chartered for the purpose of acquiring or trading in real estate other than that located in towns, nor shall any corporation doing business in the State acquire or trade in real estate for any purpose except such as may be located in such towns and cities and additions thereto. Corporations are not precluded from taking mortgages on real estate and foreclosing on same to satisfy debts, but are not allowed to hold same for more than five years. The legislature is empowered to enact laws for the registration of land titles.

Sid Riedel for Constable.

For the office of Constable in Ada precinct Sid Riedel announces subject to the arbitration of the Democratic primary.

Born in Alabama in 1876, while he was a mere child the family removed to Arkansas, where Sid grew to manhood. Some four years ago he made another move westward and located in Ada, where he has been continuously engaged in real estate and collecting business.

As a deputy sheriff in Arkansas Mr.

Riedel served for two years with signal satisfaction. Latterly, here in Ada he has frequently acted as special officer in the service of process—when other officers were overloaded with business—and his services have been notably efficient and satisfactory to clients.

If a man sues for a forty dollar debt and has to run an attachment to get his money, he is entitled to the same careful, intelligent service on the part of a constable as that man who sues for \$4,000 is entitled to on the part of a sheriff. Here, perhaps, lies the important part of a constable's duties in any law abiding community. Sid Riedel knows how.

Mr. Riedel is, besides, a born Democrat, having cast his first vote for W. J. Bryan; and he has many good, discriminating Democrats as friends, who are bent on his nomination. According to indications he must be among the front ones when the bunch finishes under the wire.

Plays that appeal to the heart and plays that heads of families can bring their children to see are the plays that thrive. Such a play is "Along the Kennebec," which will be presented in this city next Friday evening, March 1, with its wealth of beautiful scenery and a company of actors unequalled in any in their respective lines. The play is said to be full of bright, sparkling comedy and a splendid band and orchestra is carried and good music is one of the many features.

That's all, Nuf said, when you say that Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is the greatest family remedy on earth. It does you good going and coming, cents, Tea or Tablets. G. M. Ramsay

NASH, THE TAILOR

BEST WORKMANSHIP
LOWEST PRICES
PROMPTNESS

REAR OF CHAPMAN'S SHOE STORE

W. H. EBAY, Pres't	W. H. BRALEY, Sec. and Treas.
ADA TITLE & TRUST CO.	
Always Prepared to Furnish You Money and in the Quickest Possible Time	
W. H. Ebey, Loan and Abstract Officer	W. H. Braley, Insurance, Real Estate and Rental Officer
Farm Loans. This company makes a specialty of negotiating loans on intermarried surplus where restrictions have been removed, and on dead Indian lands. You get all you borrow and without delay.	
City Loans. We make loans on improved property, or to build with. Either a straight loan or monthly payments. Our facilities for handling city loans are the best.	
Chattel Loans. Plenty of money to loan farmers on their stock and 1907 crops at reasonable rates.	
Abstracts. Great care and attention is given to the compilation of abstracts, and our work is neat and on the class reasonable. Office man is open to the public and any information, consistent with our business is freely given.	
ADA TITLE & TRUST CO.	
Rear Citizens Nat'l Bank. Ada, I. T.	

Ada Evening New.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Subject to the action of the Democratic primary election.

For United States Senator
HENRY M. FURMAN
M. L. TURNER

For Congress
CHARLEY D. CARTER
D. H. LINEBAUGH
F. W. SKILLERN
E. P. HILL
CHAS. E. MCPHERREN

For State Treasurer
J. A. MENEFEE

For Circuit Judge
EUGENE E. WHITE

For County Judge
J. P. WOOD
A. M. CROXTON

For County Attorney

For Sheriff
ROBERT NESTER
A. A. (GUS) ROBBITT
L. E. (LEM) MITCHELL
JAMES D. GAAR
J. E. (ED) FUSSELL

For County Clerk
C. A. (CHARLIE) POWERS
W. S. (SAM) KERR
H. WOODARD
M. F. DEW

For District Clerk

For County Treasurer
J. C. CATES
C. K. DAVENPORT
J. K. SCROGGIN

For County Tax Assessor
A. L. MILES

For Register of Deeds
A. C. BRAY
GARY KITCHENS
C. C. HARGIS

For County Coroner
DR. JOHN W. DAVENPORT

For County Surveyor

For Supt. of Public Instruction

For County Commissioners

For Justice of the Peace, Ada Precinct
W. H. NETTLES
H. J. BROWN

For Constable Ada Precinct
CHARLES A. THOMAS
SID RIDELL

For Mayor
C. O. BARTON

For City Attorney
THOMAS P. HOLT

For City Marshal
F. J. ETTER
W. C. BAILEY
G. W. CULVER
R. C. (DICK) COUCH

For City Recorder, Ass'r and Collector
JESSE WARREN
P. C. DUNCAN

Brick! Brick!! Brick!!!

This ad is for those who need GOOD BRICK and don't know that we have them. Brick are fire-proof and last longer than cement blocks, stone and lumber. A wooden house is an old house in a few years, while a well-built Brick house improves in its looks.

ADA PRESSED BRICK & TILE CO.

OVERDRAFTS

It is becoming well known by business men that overdrafts, whether large or small, are not approved by the comptroller of the currency. The large central banks allow overdrafts only in a very small way, and this, it matters not how small, is not approved by the powers that be. This unbusinesslike habit of overdrafts grew out of advancing on moving products, such as cotton, grain and fat stock on the move. The overdraft system is wrong and the man whose account is always overdrawn is the man who spends more money than he makes and will finally have no bank account.

Ada National Bank

Capital and Surplus, \$63,500.

Ada, Ind. Ter.

Neglected Colds Threatened Life.

[From the Chicago Tribune.]
"Don't trifle with a cold," is good advice for prudent men and women. It may be vital in the case of a child. Proper food, good ventilation, and dry, warm clothing are the proper safeguards against colds. If they are maintained through the changeable weather of autumn, winter and spring, the chances of a surprise from ordinary colds will be slight. But the ordinary light cold will become severe if neglected, and a well established ripe cold is to the germs of diphtheria what honey is to the bee. The greatest menace to child life at this season of the year is the neglected cold." Whether it is a child or adult, the cold slight or severe, the very best treatment that can be adopted is to give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is safe and sure. The great popularity and immense sale of his preparation has been attained by its remarkable cures of this ailment. A cold never results in pneumonia when it is given. For sale by G. M. Ramsey.

Neighbors Got Fooled

"I was literally coughing myself to death, and had become too weak to leave my bed; and neighbors predicted I would never leave it alive, but they got fooled, for thanks be to God, I was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery. It took just four one dollar bottles to completely cure the cough and restore me to good sound health," writes Mrs. Eva Umphrey, of Grovertown, Stark Co., Ind. This King of cough and cold cures, and healer of throat and lungs, is guaranteed by G. M. Ramsey, druggist, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Even From the Mountains

Ballard's Snow Liniment is praised for the good it does. A sure cure for Rheumatism and all pains. Wright W. Loving, Grand Junction, Colo., writes: "I used Ballard's Snow Liniment, last winter, for Rheumatism and can recommend it as the best Liniment on the market. I thought, at the time I was taken down with this trouble, that it would be a week before I could get about, but on applying your Liniment several times during the night, I was about in 48 hours and well in three days."

Ada Opera House

One night only

FRIDAY, MAR. 1

The beautiful down east play

ALONG THE KENNEBEC

Hear the splendid orchestra, the comedy quartet, the good singing. See the realistic snow storm, the funny dual scene, the thrilling explosion scene. Clever character specialties. Bright music and comedy. Watch for parade at noon. Reserved seats on sale at Ramsey's drug store.

Pieces 75, 50, 35c

INDIAN SCULPTURE IS LOST.

Action of Water Destroys Relic Prize by Antiquarians.

One of three known examples in the United States, the famous Indian "sculpture" on two of the immense rocks which form the "great falls" of the Connecticut river at Bellows Falls has been entirely obliterated, not a trace of the marking which recorded some important event in the history of the aborigines being left.

The sculpture was a favorite subject of discussion for antiquarians, and developed much controversy as to the manner and time in which it was made. When first discovered it consisted of a group of sixteen or eighteen variously ornamented heads plainly cut into the rocks. The main piece of work was shown on a flat space about fifteen feet wide and six feet high, and consisted of four heads each surmounted with a pair of rays and numerous heads without any decoration. On the other rock was one large head with at least eight rays, this head being fourteen inches in depth and ten inches across at the forehead. There may have been originally also an inscription, but if so it had become obliterated by the action of the water years ago.

The markings are supposed to have represented a victory at or near Bellows Falls by four bands and their chiefs under one principal chief.

The fact that the action of the water has removed what was discovered on the rocks a hundred years or so ago indicates to not a few that much more of the record must have disappeared previously.

EGGS COOKED WITHOUT FIRE.

Eastern Dish Served to Guests of New York Restaurant.

There is a Turkish restaurant in New York where one may eat pilaffs, sherbets and saffron-colored goat stew, but the oddest dish the menu boasts is "whirled eggs."

Whirled eggs, an impressive dish, is prepared before the guest. When it is ordered a cook enters the dining room with a kind of sling in his hand—a little pot attached to the end of a leather cord.

The man opens the eggs, seasons them and shuts them up in the little pot. Then he whisks the pot at the end of its cord around his head at inconceivable speed. Round and round it runs. Its outlines become vague. It seems to smoke a little.

Suddenly the man opens it and sets the eggs before the guest. They are beautifully scrambled and quite hot. The heat of their motion through the air is what has cooked them.

"Thus," explains the Turkish host, "the Eastern shepherds cook their eggs, whirling them in a sling like that wherewith David overcame the giant Goliath."

The Vegetarian Bed.

"What a delightful bed you gave me," said the guest. "I never slept so well in all my life. Why, it was like camping in the woods."

The vegetarian host smiled.

"And did you notice the smell of the bed?" he asked.

"I should say so," said the other. "An odor like pine forests, fields of lavender, flowers and ferns."

"It was a vegetarian bed you slept on," said the host. "Not a bed of vile horse hair, torn from the wornout carcass of a poor dead nag, but a bed of dried mosses and ferns and hay and pungent, aromatic herbs."

"We vegetarians invented this bed a year ago, and all who try it love it. It is quite as comfortable, quite as springy and elastic, as a horse hair bed and it is much more pleasant and healthful. Its sweet, woodland odor induces sleep like morphine."

Records for Reading.

"Our reading record," said the aged librarian, "is held by a rich old lady of 73 years. She has read our books show, over 15,000 volumes—300 volumes a year since 1854."

"Our average subscriber reads in the year's course from 75 to 100 volumes, though we have many clients who get through 200 volumes every 12 months. Those who buy their books read much less. I am informed by a bookseller that the average book buyer doesn't read more than 25 or 30 books a year. The book buyer who reads 100 books a year is a very rare bird."

A Telephonic Surprise.

"There was a patient in my office the other day when the telephone rang," remarked the doctor, "and I conversed with the party on the other end of the wire in German. When I replaced the receiver and turned to the patient he looked at me in surprise and said:

"Ain't that wonderful! I didn't know it was possible to speak in German over the telephone."

The End of It.

"Now," said Markley, "here's a \$5 bill. I can lend you that!"

"O! say," exclaimed Nervey, "can't you do it?"

"Of course. See? I double it once and then once again. In that shape it goes back into my pocketbook. Good day!"

Tough Luck.

"Did you call at Roxley's house?" asked the young doctor's wife.

"Yes," replied the doctor, "and I wish he had sent for me sooner."

"Gracious, is he so seriously ill?"

"No; just the contrary. I'm afraid he'll be all right again before I get in half a dozen visits."

Have You Done Your Share?

Towards advertising Ada! If not, speak a good word for your town. Below we have prepared a form for the reverse side of your envelope that tersely tells the world who we are and what we have. It costs you but a trifl to have it printed and every letter you send out will advertise you and be means of calling investors' attention to our city. Call us up, we do the r

ADA, CHICKASAW NATION, INDIAN TERRITORY.

The biggest little city in the new commonwealth. The city that has never experienced either a boom or a blow. During its six years' life it has gradually grown into a commercial and railroad center of 4,600 population. The growth has been natural, solid, and enduring.

A big Port-land cement plant with a pay roll of \$3,500 per week, in process of construction; \$40,000 worth of waterworks improvement, including a mammoth reservoir to furnish abundant water for factories.

Veritably Ada is a city built upon a rock, and it will stand. It is in the logical belt of various mineral resources. Court town for 16th Recording District and unquestionably a county seat under statehood. Not a rival town within a radius of 40 miles. In a cotton country, but not DEPENDANT UPON cotton. Healthful climate; good water. Low taxes; real estate values reasonable, but rising. Ada is the place pre-eminent to live or invest in. Better get in on the ground floor before the skyscrapers come.

News Job Printing Department

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Notice of Marshal's Sale

United States of America

Southern District ss

Of Indian Territory

Public notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of sale, (or execution) dated January 9th A. D. 1907, issued out of the district court, of the

United States for the Southern district, of Indian Territory at Ada on a

judgment rendered in said court, on the fourth day of October, A. D. 1906,

in favor of J. M. Bruner, and against Harry Bowler.

I have on this 5th day of February, 1907, levied upon the following described real estate, situated in the city of Ada, Ind. Ter. to-wit:

Lots No. 10, No. 11 and No. 12, in

Block No. 40, in the city of Ada, I. T., with all the improvements thereon to satisfy a vendor's lien of two hundred and fifty dollars interest and cost.

And that I will, accordingly, offer said real estate for sale, at public vendue due to the highest and best bidder, on a credit of three months, the purchaser giving good and sufficient security, on the 28th day of February, A. D. 1907, said sale to be made subject to all payments due the United States and on behalf of the Chickasaw and Choctaw tribe of Indians, from townsite sales, at Noon M., in front of the court house at Ada, Ind. Ter.

Dated, Ada, Ind. Ter. February 5th, A. D. 1907.

G. A. Porter, U. S. Marshal. Southern District of Indian Ter.

By T. E. Brents, Deputy.

Rising From The Grave

A prominent manufacturer, W. M. A. Fertwell, of Lumberton, N. C. relates most remarkable experience. He says: after taking less than three bottles of Electric Bitters, I feel like one rising from the grave. My trouble is Bright's disease, in the diabetes stage. I fully believe Electric Bitters will cure me permanently, for it has already stopped the liver and bladder complications which have troubled me for years." Guaranteed at G. M. Ramsey druggist. Price only 50c.

For Rheumatic Sufferers.

The quick relief from pain afforded by applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm makes it a favorite with sufferers from rheumatism, sciatica, lame back, lumberago, and deep seated and muscular pains. For Sale by G. M. Ramsey.

STATEMENT JANUARY 1, 1907

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ASSETS - - - \$19,054,843.56

Capital - - - \$2,000,000.00

Outstanding Losses - 1,117,893.00

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The New York Underwriters Agency has a notable record of nearly half a century of honorable dealing with the insuring public. San Francisco losses promptly paid in full.

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Ada, Oklahoma

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It is becoming well known by business men that overdrafts, whether large or small, are not approved by the comptroller of the currency. The large central banks allow overdrafts only in a very small way, and this, it matters not how small, is not approved

WHY NOT BEGIN TO SAVE ?

By depositing a part of your earnings. We take small amounts and treat you courteously.

1ST NAT'L BANK

LOCAL NEWS

Tell Or Telephone It

If you have visitors and are not ashamed of them—phone number 4 or tell the reporter so. Do likewise if members of your family or neighbors depart or arrive. Don't be bashful.

42 Cards at Mason's. Have you seen them? 286-tf

Morgan Hancock, who had been on a short visit with his sister, Mrs. J. E. Jones, left today for his home, Paris, Texas.

Dick Harris, erstwhile of the Chapman Hotel, has gone to Francis to enter the railroad service.

Right price on wall paper Ingram Paint Co. 287-tf

FOR RENT—4 Room cottage on E. 13th street. Inquire News office. 288-tf

Miss Ethel Martin spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents in Shawnee.

Dr. Davenport was here from Oakman today.

Good farm to rent and good team to sell on time. U. G. Winn. 279-tf

H. A. Davis, with his family, returned to Ada yesterday and will make this his head quarters for a time.

FOR SALE—Three registered Durham bulls. Cash or credit. U. G. Winn. 258 tf w41tf

Geo. A. Truitt went to Stonewall.

W. A. Holifield returned this morning from Konawa.

Choice beef, pork and sausage on hand at O. K. Meat Market. 285-3t

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Swaffar were here from Stonewall for Sunday.

"The Latest" 42 cards at Mason's. 286-tf

Messrs. J. A. and C. M. Parrish were here from Roff over night.

M. B. Donaghey was a visitor to Roff.

Double 9 Domino cards for 42, at Mason's. 286-tf

A. M. Croxton was in Roff today.

D. C. Patton and A. M. Leonard, after a business visit in Ada, returned to Sulphur this morning.

Advice to mothers. Don't let your children waste away. They can be strong, healthy and vigorous with Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It's a swift winged messenger of health, 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. G. M. Ramsey.

Attorneys Anderson and Bullock came up from Roff this morning.

T. P. Holt went to Ardmore on a professional mission.

New wall paper at Ingram Paint Co. 287-tf

L. D. Ratliff left on a business trip to Ft. Worth and Henrietta, Texas.

D. A. Spears was here from Owl yesterday.

S. R. Tolbert went to Ardmore last night on legal business.

50 Per cent discount on all wall paper at Wilson & Nash's. West of Central Hotel. 289-6t

COAL!

We now have a supply of McALESTER LUMP Coal. It will be sold for strictly CASH. No credit extended to anyone; drivers will collect.

CRYSTAL ICE and COAL COMPANY



THE BEST NURSE
is of little avail if the medicines she administers are open to suspicion. You can put perfect faith in any medicine we sell or prepare.
WE TEST ALL REMEDIES before recommending them. We make absolutely sure of the purity and strength of all drugs used in our prescriptions. Buy your medicines here and the nurse will be able to report progress to the doctor.
G. M. RAMSEY
DRUGGIST
(Successor to Clark Drug Co.)

Mrs. W. A. Alexander left last afternoon for St. Louis to buy her spring millinery. They scowled and look sour from morn till night.

They never would agree; Now they are healthy, happy and bright.

They both take Rocky Mountain Tea at night. G. M. Ramsey.

Miss Mabel Mitchell, of the public schools, returned last night from a few days stay with homefolks at Sapulpa.

O. E. Lancaster left today on a prospecting tour to Texico, New Mexico. His mother, Mrs. Julia Flemming, accompanied him as far as Chickasha.

O. B. Crain, a good farmer late of the Frisco community, departed with his family to reside at San Jon, New Mexico.

WANTED:—A six to fifteen horsepower portable boiler or traction engine for about thirty days. Ada Pressed Brick and Tile Co. 287-tf

S. W. Johnson, one of our oldest settlers and best citizens, is moving to Story, I. T. However, he expects to move back ere many months go by.

Miss Anah Castleberry of Marlow, departed last afternoon, after a visit with her cousin, Mrs. Lula Barnett.

Mrs. Cynthia Parker, in response to a message from Mt. Vernon, Texas, saying her father, Maj. A. T. Smith, lay at the point of death, departed last night for the bedside.

G. B. Spears and Bob Gelly dined sumptuously in the city of Owl Sunday.

FOR SALE.—A Cicianian Pianola (pianoplayer) good as new. Can be attached to any piano and plays any music better than an artist, 24 records go with it. 281-6t Dr. H. Browall.

George Stomum of Roff was among the Sunday visitors.

Miss Frances Moore was visiting here with friends Sunday.

J. T. Hines and wife are here from Bryan, Texas, taking a look over the country.

R. L. Millsap and wife of Konawa were here yesterday.

Mrs. W. V. Angell arrived yesterday from Carrollton, Texas, to join Mr. Angell here, who is superintendent of wood work on the big dam.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jones went to Tupelo today to assist for several days in a big sale put on there by E. L. Steed.

FOR RENT: Three room house close in. O. B. Weaver Agcy. 284-3t

For Sale Cheap.

I have a stock of caskets and coffins and burial suits that will be sold cheap for cash.—G. W. Hilton, 3rd door west Citizens Bank. 284 tf

Two days' treatment free. Ring's Dyspepsia Tablets for impaired digestion, impure breath, perfect assimilation of food, increased appetite. Do not fail to avail yourself of the above offer. Sold by G. M. Ramsey's drug Store.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo,— Lucy County — ss

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of one hundred dollars for each and every case of Catarrh that can not be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure. Frank J. Cheney.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. Gleason, Seal Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

Sold by all druggists, 75.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

INSISTED ON BEING HANGED.

Murderers Who Have Pleaded for Execution of Sentence.

The case of the condemned murderer, who the other day practically sentenced himself by refusing to sign a petition for a reprieve, is not so rare as many people imagine.

One famous parallel instance was that of Rev. Mr. Hackman, who shot an actress, Miss Reay, as she was leaving the stage door of Convent Garden theater, and who, although actually offered a commutation, preferred to die upon the gallows in the expiation of his crime.

Only a few weeks back, again, the Berlin papers chronicled the case of a wealthy land owner, who, having shot a servant in a fit of passion, tried him, with himself as judge, and sentenced himself to ten years' solitary confinement in one of his own private dungeons in his own medieval castle in the heart of the Black Forest.

Nine years and some odd months of this punishment he actually endured, his house steward doling him out daily a meager ration of coarse prison fare.

Unluckily for him, however, the authorities got to hear of the affair and he was haled before the ordinary tribunal to await his trial in due course.

Another extraordinary case also, curiously enough, of German origin, was that of a sergeant major of an infantry regiment stationed in Bremen, who a few weeks back sentenced himself to be shot by a squad of his own men.

The soldiers thought they were firing blank, but the self-condemned man had surreptitiously removed the harmless cartridges and substituted ball ammunition, so that at his own word of command, "Fire," he fell dead.

Finally, it may be mentioned that John Lee, the Babbacombe murderer, who survived three separate attempts to hang him owing to some defect in the machinery of the drop, insisted vehemently that his sentence must be carried out "according to law."

This is, of course, quite contrary to the generally received opinion regarding the case. But the writer was recently assured of its correctness by the convict's own mother, and her assurance is borne out by Rev. John Pitkin, who was chaplain of Exeter gaol at the time.

Said this gentleman the other day: "When the attempt to execute him (Lee) failed, he called out again and again, 'I will be executed.' And when I suggested after the third attempt to take his life that the execution should be postponed, Lee exclaimed, 'Aren't they going to execute me? I will be executed!'"—Pearson's Weekly.

Intelligent Pharmacy.

One of the ablest physicians in New York was in financial straits in his young days, and looked long and hard for a job. Finally he was engaged in a small shop in Cherry street, in the midst of sailors' boarding houses "and such."

One night a woman asked for an ounce of some deadly poison. "What are you going to do with it?" said the young pharmacist. She replied quickly: "I am going to drink it; I am weary of living; I shall commit suicide."

"In that case," she he, "I won't sell it to you; you will have to obtain it elsewhere." She laughed. "Oh, do you take me for a fool? If I wanted to kill myself do you suppose I'd tell you? Honestly, I want the medicine for my husband, a longshoreman, who is in great distress." That's different," said our young friend, who thereupon sold the poison and made her sign for it. As she passed out of the door she yelled in manic tones: "Ya, ya! I got you that time! I'll be in hell in seven minutes!"

Colors to the Blind.

"Have you any conception of color?" a friend asked a blind man. "What idea have you when you hear colors mentioned?"

"A person blind from birth as I have can have no possible proper conception of color," was the reply. "To me color is sound, or rather, music.

When I hear the word red, for example, I instantly think of a high piercing note of music; blue is to me a delicately sounded note fairly high and pleasing in tone; green is a soft tone and rather low, quiet and restful; while yellow is lively, quick little notes rapidly sounding and causing pleasure, almost to laughter. Black, alas! is the only color we can realize, for we are told that that is the absence of all light, and we know only too well what that means."

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Around her neck she wore a thin scarf of a shade that toned in with the color of the velvet and the final touch of Shakespearean suggestion was added when she lifted up her skirts, disclosing her ankles clad in mauve silk stockings and her feet covered with a pair of sandals in mauve colored kid through the openings in which the stockings could be plainly seen.

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The Patient

Naturally you choose your Physician with great care; you realize how much depends upon his service, but do not forget that the choice of a

DRUGGIST

may be equally important. The physician prescribes remedies, the druggist supplies them. Unless these supplies have just the virtues the doctor is depending upon, failure may result—and who is to blame? Surely not the physician. We feel we are justified in urging you to bring your prescriptions to our prescription department, because it provides the service that must be had to properly supplement the efforts of your physician. We can afford you absolute security both as to quality of drugs and accuracy of compounding.

GWIN, MAYS & CO.
Successors to W. T. Nolen

A SAD SUNDAY.

Unusual Harvest in Ada for the Grim Reaper.

Within twenty-four hours four people passed away in Ada, most of them after very short illness.

Allie, the little eight year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Mossman, suddenly died Sunday afternoon at three, after a sickness lasting scarcely two days. The funeral will occur Tuesday. The home is a sad one with this little flower of the family plucked away to the gardens above.

Johnie Townsend, the well known and well liked dwarf who shined shoes at McGraw's barber shop, was hale and hearty Sunday. At night he slept at the office of the Blue gin with two cowmen. This morning when they sought to wake him they found him dead, presumably of heart failure. He has been subject to such attacks, but usually some of his family were near to give him succor. Johnie was about twenty-seven years old and leaves several hundred hundred dollars worth of property.

The little child of Mr. Jennings, a section hand living on Twelfth street near the Central hotel, was seized with a spasm Saturday night and less than twenty-four hours later was dead.

The two year old child of H. C. Reeves, corner Sixteenth and Rennie, suffering a relapse of pneumonia, passed away Sunday morning at four and was buried at three in the afternoon. This family is in a pitiable plight, the father and several more of the family being down with pneumonia. The wage earning having stopped, the family is entirely dependent upon charity.

But the Ada people know how to do good works. For instance in a short time yesterday morning enough funds were easily collected to pay for the funeral and to provide for the comfort of the others.

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DR. B. H. ERB,

DENTIST

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WHOLE TOWN WON BY "REVIVAL"

Remarkable Success Attends Work of Evangelists at Abingdon, Illinois.

PLACE IS TRANSFORMED

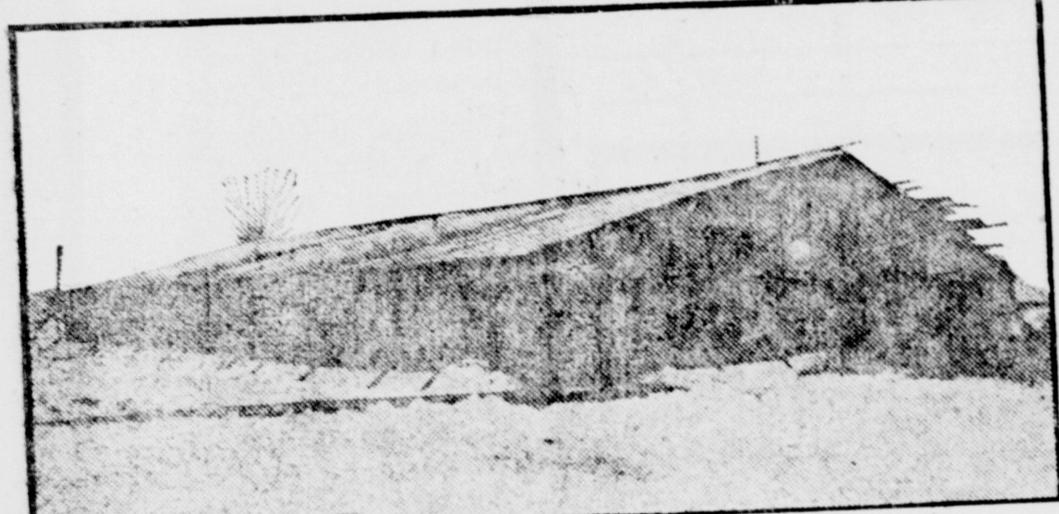
Over 700 Converts in City of About 2,500 Population—Churches Not Large Enough to Hold Crowds and a Tabernacle Erected by Voluntary Laborers—Business Men Plan to Build Permanent Y. M. C. A. Building for the Youth of the Town as a Monument to the Wonderful Work.

Abingdon, Ill.—A remarkable revival has swept over this town, converting all save 200 or 300. The place is transformed. The streets ring with Gospel songs day and night. Cottage prayer meetings are now the fashionable thing. Young hoodlums who loafed about, gambling and swearing, now spend their leisure hours reading their Bibles and praying. The community has been moved in much the same manner as were the Welsh villages in the height of the awakening there.

The movement began under the leadership of two young evangelists, Ira Evans Hicks and E. S. Galloway, assisted by Homer Alexander, brother of Charles M. Alexander, the famous Gospel singer. Some idea of the upheaval wrought by the revival may be gained from the fact that there were over 700 converts, with scores of backsliders reclaimed, in a town of only about 2,500 population.

Volunteers Erect Tabernacle.

The meetings began a month ago in the largest church in Abingdon, seating 800 people. It soon proved altogether too small, and with typical western energy the people, led by the evangelists themselves, set to work to erect a tabernacle that would accommodate the crowds. With the assistance of about 50 volunteers, a tabernacle seating 2,000 was erected in three days. Not a penny was spent for labor. It contained a semi-circular platform accommodating 300; was lighted with electricity, heated with stoves. Then



Immense Tabernacle Erected in Which Services Were Held.

the meetings went forward with redoubled vigor. The "tough" young men of the town attended nightly, the farmers drove in from all the surrounding district, and the building proved none too large to hold the throngs which gathered day by day.

People say it is in answer to prayer that the work began. The young evangelists and their helpers make it a rule to spend an hour daily in prayer. The people quickly caught the religious fervor, and they, too, spent hours upon their knees. During the fourth week over 100 people agreed to spend at least half an hour daily in prayer. It is known that even some of the children spent an hour in prayer daily.

Revival Flame Strong.

The revival flame swept the town almost clean. Among the early converts were boys and girls; then came young men and women; and finally men who had never professed Christianity, business men, college students, workmen in the factories, and gray-haired army veterans. In a num-



E. S. Galloway.

ber of cases four or five members of one family were converted. One young man arose in a meeting and testified that his father (an ex-saloon keeper) and mother and five brothers and four sisters had been saved—all in all.

In the large wagon factory in Abingdon scores of the men went forward and professed salvation. The entire atmosphere of a dozen men changed. Scarcely half a dozen men were left unconverted. Instead of

drinking and swearing at the dinner hour, they now have a daily song service and prayer meeting. One of the factory converts was an atheist for many years, who roundly cursed everything Christian. He now carries a little Testament in his pocket wherever he goes. Another convert was a notorious character about the town, drinking and carousing, and being once nearly killed in a brawl. He is a big, vigorous man, and is now throwing all his energy into winning others. Within four days after his conversion he had led nine old companions to the front to publicly confess their faith.

Students Brought to Grace.

Hedding college is located in Abingdon, and the revival wrought a big change there. Of the 150 regular students all but four or five are now converted. As one of the professors expressed it: "Nobody tries to keep track of the prayer meetings. The attendance varies from two up to almost the whole number of students."

One of the most enthusiastic converts was the editor of one of the local newspapers. He helped promote the movement and spread the fire into the country districts by placing his paper in the hands of the evangelists for a week. They issued three "revival editions" describing the work in Abingdon, and giving news of the worldwide awakening. In each issue there were about two columns of Scripture narrative put into newspaper form, and a decision card which could be signed by any reader and sent the evangelists. It created great interest.

Rev. F. L. Hanscom, pastor of the Congregational church in Abingdon, in giving one of the "revival editions" his impressions of the work, said: "The great revival which is sweeping over the city is the greatest blessing that has come to it since its inception. The churches are united as never before. Christians love one another as at no other time. And there are more saved souls in Abingdon to-day than at any period of her past history. Five hundred and more have been won over and gloriously converted to God. Husbands have been saved and liberated from habits that bound them and made them slaves—wives have been saved from indifferent lives and made to shine anew for Jesus—while scores have gone back to the grave where they years ago buried all their hopes, and bidding them come forth, came back with shining faces, saying:

"Numerous 'Pocket Testaments' have been organized among the boys and girls and young people of the town. Each member carries a testament in his or her pocket, reads the Scriptures daily and endeavors to win others to Christ. The members meet weekly at one another's homes for testimony and prayer."

Another result of the revival is that several have decided to become preachers or Gospel singers. One lad, about 15 years of age, said he had decided to become a minister, while another about 12 said that was what he wanted to do. A young workman in a factory says he hopes shortly to go to the Moody Bible Institute to prepare for evangelistic work. He told



Ira Evans Hicks.

me that he now loves his Bible and souls so much that he cannot put his heart into his work at the factory any more. He longs to spend the whole day at home reading his Bible and then going out to win the lost.

Will Become Gospel Singer.

A young man who is one of the foremost students in Hedding college has decided to become a Gospel singer. He now has charge of the choir in the largest church in Abingdon, and has exceptional talent as a singer and musical conductor. He has been a nominal Christian for years. A few days ago he declared that heretofore his ambition had been to become a professional singer for his own glory; but that now he has yielded all to Christ and desires to be used for God's glory. He will probably unite with Homer Alexander in conducting revival meetings in a neighboring town.

The business men of Abingdon have declared their intention of caring for the bodies as well as the souls of the large number of young men among the converts, and have started a movement for the erection of a Y. M. C. A. building. This will stand as a brick and mortar monument to this unique revival.

GEORGE T. B. DAVIS

WHAT THEY WANTED TO KNOW.

Children Had Many Questions to Put to Wise Man.

To find out what is passing in the thoughts of my children I yesterday confronted them with this demand: "Suppose this morning an all wise man were to enter our classroom, what six things would you ask?" The children were ordinary, everyday Canadian boys and girls, between the ages of nine and 14, but the questions they put to that imaginary shape from the all wise shades were not commonplace. They surprised me not a little and have set me thinking. So writes Miss Agnes Deans Cameron in the January Pall Mall Magazine, and a few of the many she gives are submitted:

"Why is it that the sun only goes half way round the earth?" "Why is it that we don't slip off the earth?" "If the earth stopped, what would happen to us?" "How big is a volcano inside?" "Who was the first school teacher?" "Please can you tell me all about history?"

"When the world comes to an end, how can the people be united if parts of their bodies are in different parts of the world?" "Who was the man that invented grammar?" "What does ignorance personified mean?" "Where was God born?" "What holds this world up?" "Why did the Lord make many planets, instead of one large one?" "If the earth stopped going round, what would happen?" "If you jumped off the world and went straight on, where would you go to?" "Why did Joseph not tell his brethren he was their brother the first time they came down to Egypt to buy corn?" "What is the power of one of the suckers of a devilfish?" "Who is the prettiest person in the world?" "Why did Noah take some animals into the ark and leave others to get drowned?" "Why is there such a thing as politics?" "Why are some people more sensible than others?"

It is a boy who writes: "I would like to know how you can tell mother pigeons from father pigeons?" and "Who invented the first joke?" while the youngest girl in the whole class wrote, in a wee little hand, in the middle of a sheet of foolscap: "Please would you tell me what my mother thinks every day in her mind?"

Bibles in Great Demand.

One of the most striking visible results of the awakening was the increased demand for Bibles and Testaments. The dealers could not get them in fast enough. First Chicago was drawn upon and then New York. It seemed as if every boy and man in the town wanted to carry a Testament or Bible in his pocket. And in their enthusiasm the converts were not particular about the pocket Bible being very small. One evening a 15-year-old boy walked into the store and paid \$2.50 for a Bible, telling the dealer he was going to spend all the next day reading it.

A Foolish Question.

Dreamer—Do you think environment has much of an effect on a person?

Blunt—Thunderation! Were you ever surrounded by a swarm of bees?

Detroit Free Press.

WHEN SERVING EGGS

SOME NEW METHODS OF COOKING WORTH TRYING.

Departures from Old Styles That Will Be Appreciated by the Family or Guests—Eggs à la Goldenrod.

Eggs à la Suisse.—Four eggs, one-half cup cream, one tablespoon butter, two tablespoons grated cheese, salt, pepper, cayenne. Heat a small omelet pan, put in butter and when melted add cream. Slip in the eggs one at a time, sprinkle with salt, pepper, and a few grains of cayenne. When whites are nearly firm sprinkle with cheese. Finish cooking and serve on buttered toast. Strain cream over the toast.

Eggs à la Buckingham.—Make five slices milk toast and arrange on platter. Use recipe for scrambled eggs, having the eggs slightly underdone. Pour eggs over toast, sprinkle with four tablespoons grated mild cheese. Put in oven to melt cheese and finish cooking eggs.

Eggs à la Finnoise.—Have ready a shallow pan two-thirds full of boiling salted water, allowing one-half tablespoon salt to one quart of water. Put two or three buttered muffin pans in the water. Break each egg separately into a cup and carefully slip into muffin ring. The water should cover the eggs. When there is a film over the top and the white is firm carefully remove with a buttered skimmer to circular pieces of buttered toast and cover with a tomato sauce, seasoned with salt and pepper and butter.

Shirred Eggs.—Butter an egg shirrer. Cover bottom and sides with fine cracker crumbs. Break an egg into a cup and carefully slip into shirrer. Cover with seasoned buttered crumbs and bake in a moderate oven until white is firm and crumbs brown. The shirrers should be placed on a tin plate that they may be removed easily from the oven.

Eggs in Tomatoes.—Cut a slice from stem end of tomato, scoop out the pulp, slit in an egg, sprinkle with salt and pepper, cover with buttered crumbs, and bake.

Eggs à la Goldenrod.—Three hard boiled eggs, one tablespoon butter, one tablespoon flour, one cup milk, one-half teaspoon salt, one-eighth teaspoon pepper, five slices toast, parsley. Make a thin, white sauce with butter, flour, milk and seasonings. Separate yolks from whites of eggs. Chop whites finely and add them to the sauce. Cut four slices of toast in halves lengthwise, arrange on platter and pour over the sauce. Force the yolks through a potato ricer or strainer, sprinkling over the top. Garnish with parsley and remaining toast cut in points.

Egg Farci.—Cut hard boiled eggs in halves crosswise. Remove yolks and put whites aside in pairs. Mash yolks and add equal amount of cold cooked chicken or veal finely chopped. Moisten with melted butter or mayonnaise.

A Handy Remedy for Burns.

I have often heard women say that they can never go near the kitchen stove without getting burned, and no doubt some of us, if not all of us, have suffered many big as well as little burns and scalds for the want of some simple remedy. Of course, we all know that bicarbonate of soda or common baking soda is one of the simplest remedies, but even that does not give immediate relief. Kerosene is the easiest remedy to procure, and is always handy in the kitchen, saving steps to the medicine chest when one is in a hurry, and experience has shown it as the most expedient. Cover the burn or scald with the kerosene and repeat until the burning sensation is gone. I have never known any tenderness or soreness to follow, or any trace of the burn to be left wherever kerosene had been used.—Pictorial Review.

Cream Puff.

Put four tablespoonsfuls of butter and a cup of water together in a saucepan and place over a slow fire. Have already measured one cup of flour and, as soon as the water and butter reach the boiling point, add the flour all at once and stir vigorously. When thoroughly mixed remove from the fire and add four unbeaten eggs, beating the mixture between the times that each egg is added. Drop by the spoonful on buttered pans, having a space of one and one-half inches between each puff. Bake in a slow oven for half an hour. When done and cool just a slit in the side of each puff and fill with sweetened whipped cream. Use to a cup of cream four tablespoonsfuls of powdered sugar and one-half teaspoonful of vanilla. This recipe makes eight puffs.

How to Wash Cut Glass.

Never put heavy, elaborately cut glass into very hot water. The depth of the cutting makes it dangerous to expose the glass to sudden expansion caused by the plunge into the hot water. Rinse in tepid water to which has been added a little ammonia, and clean the irregular surfaces with a soft brush. It also is unsafe to turn ice into a cut-glass dish unless it has been gradually chilled in the freezer. Cracked cut glass can frequently be preserved to a useful old age by the skillful insertion of a few rivets. These will not be noticeable, and can be obtained at any crockery store.

To Keep Canvas Bright.

To keep canvas bright apply to the surface a small quantity of linseed oil, using a soft rag, and afterwards rub as dry as possible. Five cents worth of linseed oil will be sufficient for two or three applications.

SNOWBALL PUSHBALL.

Fun Which the Boys Can Have with It.

The giant snowball, when completed, is usually fun only for the boy who can manufacture it on the top of a steep hill and then let it roll down, scattering snow and smashing everything in its path until it hits a tree or a fence and flies into a thousand pieces. That is really fun for the boy who lives where the hills are. But the chap who happens to live where the country is flat, or in the city, gets very

little amusement out of the big snowball after he has made it. Then it is useful only as the foundation for a snow fort—unless he knows how to play snowball pushball.

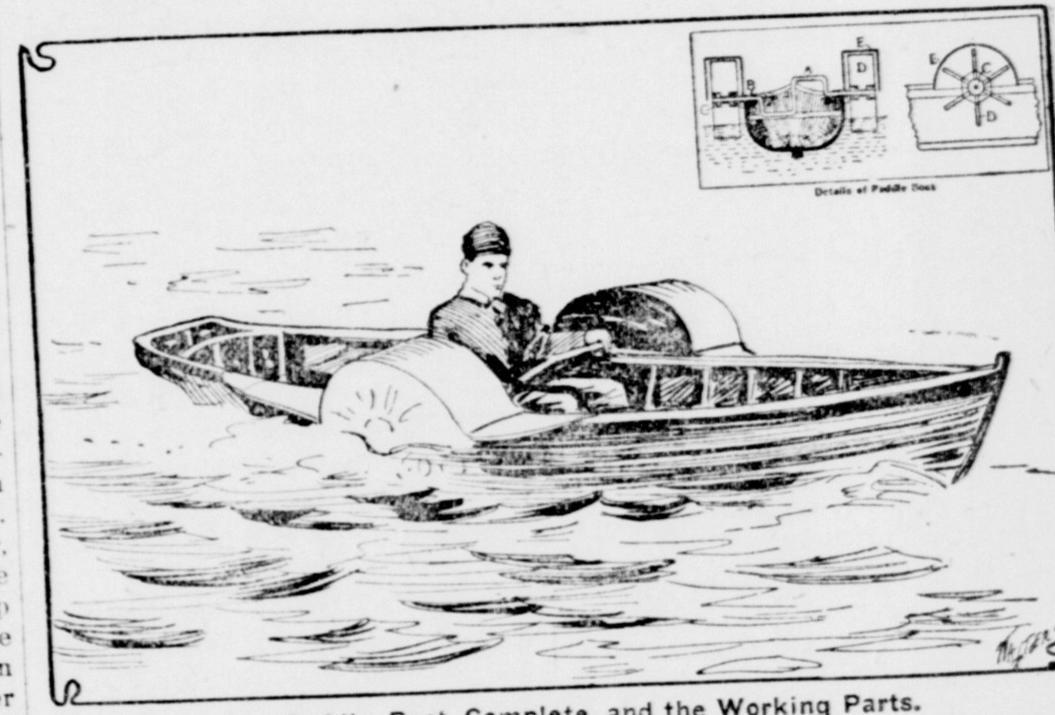
Instead of the immense leather or rubber ball that is used in the regular game of pushball a giant snowball is substituted. This is, of course, too heavy to be pushed about in the air, dancing on the upraised hands of the opposing teams, as in the game of pushball proper. First select your playing field and then make the big ball—it over its adversary's goal line wins. Football tactics and body checking may or may not be used, but a player may not hold an opponent.

You may think this an easy game to play, but there is one thing which makes it quite unique and may change your opinion.

If you hold your game on a field when the snow is very deep and "packy" the ball is bound to become larger and heavier with every revolution it makes, on account of the snow it collects as it rolls along, so that the nearer the winning side pushes it toward their weaker opponents' goal, the heavier and more awkward to manage it becomes, until—

Maybe just as they finally manage to force it within a few feet of the weak side's goal line the ball grows so big that it is absolutely impossible to budge it—and then a tie game results, much to the mortification of the strong team and the joyful surprise of their weaker opponents.

Making a Paddle Boat for Next Summer



The Paddle Boat Complete, and the Working Parts.

A rowboat has several disadvantages. The operation of the oars is both tiresome and uninteresting and the oarsman is obliged to travel backwards. By replacing the oars with paddles, as shown in the illustration, the operator can see where he is going and enjoy the exercise much better than with oars. He can easily steer the boat with his feet, by means of a pivoted stick in the bottom of the boat, connected by cords to the rudder.

The following directions are given by Popular Science: At the blacksmith shop have a five-eighths inch shaft made, as shown at A, Fig. 2. It will be necessary to furnish a sketch giving all the dimensions of the shaft, which should be designed to suit the dimensions of the boat, taking care that sufficient clearance is allowed, so that the cranks in revolving will not strike the operator's knees. If de-

sired, split-wood handles may be placed on the cranks, to prevent them from rubbing the hands.

The bearings, B, can be made of hard wood, but preferably of iron pipe filled with melted babbit. If babbit is used, either thoroughly smoke or chalk the shaft or wrap paper around it to prevent the babbit sticking. The pieces of pipe may be then fastened to the boat by means of small pipe straps, such as may be obtained at any plumber's at a very small cost.

The hubs, C, should be made of wood, drilled to fit the shaft and mortised out to hold the paddles, D. The covers, E, may be constructed of thin wood or galvanized iron and should be braced by triangular boards, as shown in Fig. 1. If galvanized iron is used it should be exposed to the weather two or three months before painting or the paint will come off, spoiling its appearance.

A PORTABLE DARK-ROOM.

Outfit Which the Amateur Photographer Will Find Convenient.

Many amateur photographers who cannot have a regular dark-room will find the device here illustrated very



Developing Plates in Portable Dark-Room.

useful and convenient. If desired it may be constructed so as to allow folding up when not in use, by using hinges at A and B and making the sides flexible.

The bottom and frame are made of wood and the walls are constructed of light-proof cloth, formed by gluing black paper between two pieces of black cloth. The back should be full enough to allow plenty of room for the operator and the cloth should be tied securely around his waist to exclude every possible ray of light.

It is well to paint the whole interior a dull black, so that any small leakage of light will not be reflected. The ventilating tube and drain pipe should be bent as shown, to exclude the light, and the ruby glass should be carefully fitted for the same purpose.

It is also desirable to have a hinged shutter, S, to cover the ruby glass while waiting for the plate to develop.

This, explains Popular Mechanics, is to prevent any unnecessary exposure to the ruby light as any light no mat-

ter how colored or subdued, has some effect on the sensitive plate or film. The drain pipe shown on this outfit may be omitted if desired, although it is convenient at times and gives a better circulation of air.

THE SHY OKAPI.

Strange Animal That Is Found in Some Parts of Africa.

Another specimen of this singular African animal has recently been obtained by Major Powell-Cotton. It was killed in the Ituri forest by a native hunter. So far as Major Powell-Cotton has been able to learn, says Youth's

Coffman & Owen
HARDWARE and TINNERS
PHONE NO. 279

THE EVENING NEWS.

DEVOTED TO MAKING ADA A LARGER AND MORE PROGRESSIVE CITY
ADA, INDIAN TERRITORY, MONDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 25, 1907

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? WHY PAY RENT ?

BUY HOME OF YOUR OWN in the beautiful Brevard school, and have platted it in acre lots with wide streets and alleys. This property is nicely situated, being within from 8 to 10 blocks of the center of the business portion of Ada. We expect to give you a chance to own a valuable lot in the capital of Pontotoc county by selling these lots on the installment plan.

Ada is now the county seat, and has a great future before it. We have three railroads with a prospect of two more, a cotton compress, a cotton oil mill, a pressed brick plant, and numerous smaller industries. Also have a large cement plant under construction that will employ 250 men, there is under construction a canning factory and the city is spending \$40,000 on additional water works.

WHY SHOULD ADA NOT GROW?

CAPITOL HILL lies northeast of the business portion of the city, and has a fine view of the city. Plenty of good water at from 15 to 20 feet.

If you expect to grow up with the town now is the time to GET IN ON THE GROUND FLOOR.

We also do a general Real Estate and Insurance business. See us for any business in our line. Office first door west of the Harris hotel.

Beard & Blanks
Real Estate and Insurance

BIG BLAZE AT MUSKOGEE--- MASONIC RECORDS LOST

Muskogee, I. T., Feb. 25.—At an early hour Sunday morning the Culbertson building, together with its entire contents, was destroyed by fire. The ground floor was occupied by the Fair Mercantile Company, one of the largest department stores in the city. The upper floors were occupied by real estate and professional men. Electric light wires were melted and exposed wires threatened the entire block, necessitating the shutting down of the power plant, putting the city in total darkness.

The suddenness with which the fire broke out caused several narrow escapes of persons sleeping in the building.

Aside from the enormous loss financially, the most distressing feature is the entire loss of the records of the local and grand Masonic lodges of Indian Territory. The records were kept in the office of Major Walron, secretary of the chapter and commandery.

The loss is estimated at \$89,000, with \$56,300 insurance.

Democrat in New Dress.

The Weekly Democrat in its last issue comes out beamingly in a new

dress. She looks clean and incorrup-

A Stitch in Time.

will save nine. So will a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup always kept on hand save many a spell of sickness. A sure cure for Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis and Whooping Cough. Mrs. S.— Hot Springs, Ark. writes: "I keep a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup in my medicine chest, and thank my forethought many times. It has prevented many severe spells of sickness." Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

A Vote Winner.

The News respectfully solicits the printing of your cards announcing to your friends and those you may meet, your candidacy. The card method of soliciting support has been demonstrated to be good; it helps to become acquainted and will win you votes.

Piles of people have piles. Why suffer from piles when you can use DeWitt's Carbolicized Witch Hazel Salve and get relief. Nothing else so good. Beware of imitations. See that the name is stamped on each box. Sold by Crescent Drug store, F. Z. Holley, Prop.

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BRYAN AND BEVERIDGE TO DEBATE ON STATE'S RIGHTS

New York, Feb. 25.—A special to the Herald from Washington says:

In the joint debate which they will begin in the forthcoming number of the Reader Magazine, William J. Bryan of Nebraska and A. J. Beveridge of Indiana join issue on the question of the power of the federal government.

Mr. Bryan stands squarely with the citizens of San Francisco in their demand that they be accorded the right to regulate attendance upon their own schools in their own way.

"The Nation vs. State's Rights" is the topic of the first debate. Mr. Bryan speaks distinctly for the old idea of quality of government, while Senator Beveridge defends what he terms "the people's instinctive effort toward national unity."

"Upon no subject will the people of a state insist more strenuously in controlling their own affairs than in matters of education," says Mr. Bryan.

"The school room is in close and constant contact with the home and the parents having a vital interest in the instruction of their children and an intimate acquaintance with local conditions would not and should not consent to national control or supervision."

Senator Beveridge finds the "heart of the present battle against the people's instinctive effort toward national unity" to be the unrighteous pocket book, which finds itself threatened by nationality.

"Every corporation so great that its business is nation-wide is championing state's rights," Mr. Beveridge declares.

Another Railroad Possibility.

The St. Louis, Springfield and Oklahoma Western Railway company, with \$3,750,000 capital stock, was granted a charter at Guthrie Saturday by Secretary Charles H. Fisher. Headquarters are to be maintained at Lawton and Sulphur, and the road is to be built 225 east from Lawton to Sulphur, thence northeast through McAlester and Stigler to Sallisaw. The incorporators are C. S. Stocker, of Stigler, W. T. Douglas, R. Downing and A. D. Goodenough of Sulphur and J. J. Beall and J. D. F. Jennings of Oklahoma City. Taking the route defined the line could scarcely afford to miss Ada.

This is a reincorporation of this company. To the group of incorporators there has been a valuable addition—G. S. Stocker, of Stigler. He is a practical and prominent railroad builder, well known in Ada as having been connected with the construction of the M. K. & T., through here. Moreover, Mr. Stocker holds a friendly feeling for Ada, which is an item often in securing railroad lines.

Paint and Paper.

Wilson & Nash have latest sample books of wall paper. It's worth your while to figure with them before having any papering or painting done. Guaranteed satisfaction. West of Central Hotel.

When you want a nice fat chicken phone Judge Hilton, chicken specialist. 284-tf

SUPREME COURT DECIDES IT HAS NO JURISDICTION

The Oklahoma supreme court Saturday night held it had no jurisdiction to act in the case wherein the commissioners of Greer county asked an injunction prohibiting the constitutional convention from dividing that county. All seven members of the bench were present, and it is understood the vote reaching the decision was four to three.

Associate Justice Clinton S. Irwin, however, was the only member to give a dissenting opinion. The majority opinion simply held that the territorial supreme court possesses appellate jurisdiction only.

Chief Justice Burford handed down the majority opinion, holding the supreme court has no original jurisdiction in injunction cases. Under this decision, therefore, the Greer county commissioners may file their case in the district court here immediately and then appeal to the supreme court if necessary.

Justice Bayard P. Hainer held absolutely that the convention has power to do whatever it may please, wherein it is not repugnant to the enabling act

and the federal constitution, and if the constitution is adopted by the people then the constitutionality must be tested by the president of the United States. He held that this complaint of Greer county should be filed with President Roosevelt.

Chief Justice Burford admitted that the case was a novelty in legal history.

The case was argued in the court for the plaintiff by former United States Attorney Horace Speed and for the convention by Delegates Henry F. App (republican) of Guthrie, and W. A. Ledbetter (democrat) of Ardmore.

Notice.

The Democrats of the city of Ada are requested to meet at the United States Commissioners court room Monday night, February 25, at 7:30 o'clock for the purpose of electing officers of the Ada Democratic Club and to transact such other business as may be deemed advisable.

In case the court room can not be secured the meeting will be held at the Mayor's Office.

J. P. Wood,
President Ada Democratic Club.

W. H. EBAY, Pres't
W. H. BRALEY, Sec. and Treas.
ADA TITLE & TRUST CO.

Always Prepared to Furnish You Money and in the Quickest Possible Time

W. H. Ebey,
Loan and Abstract Officer

Farm Loans. This company makes a specialty of negotiating loans on intermarried surplus land. No restrictions have been received, and on dead Indians lands. You get all you borrow and without delay.

City Loans. We make loans on improved property, or to build with either a straight loan or monthly payments. Our facilities for handling city loans are the best.

Chattel Loans. Pleaty of money to loan farmers on their horses and 1907 crops at reasonable rates.

Abstracts. Great care and attention is given to the preparation of abstracts, and our work is neat and very reasonable. Office is open to the public and any information consistent with our business is freely given.

ADA TITLE & TRUST CO.

Rear Citizens Nat'l Bank, Ada, I. T.

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NEW and SECOND HAND
FURNITURE

It Does Not Matter

What Line You are Interested in--It Will Pay You to Look Us Over.

7 bars Crystal White Soap for	2 c
12 bars Fairbanks' Ark Soap for	25 c
10 bars Swiss Laundry Soap	25 c
2 boxes Red Cross Bluing	5 c
1 lb. Golden or Castor Oil Axle Grease	5 c
4 doz. plain Clothes Pins	5 c
3 boxes Searchlight Matches	10 c
2 boxes DeSance or Faultless Starch	15 c
4 cans Eagle Lye	25 c
2 bottles good Ink	5 c
1 lot fine Toilet Soap worth 25 c, goes at	10 c
1 lot fancy Work Baskets worth 25 c, go at	10 c
2 China Nest Eggs	5 c
1 1-2 qt. Granite Pans	5 c
No. 2 plain Lamp Chimney	15 c
No. 2 fancy Lamp Chimney	15 c
1 pint Granite Cups	5 c

Surprise Store

The People Who Put The Price Down

STILL STRONGER AGAINST ALIEN LAND OWNERSHIP

Guthrie, Ok., Feb. 25.—The special committee to handle the question of alien ownership of land and the ownership of land by corporations reported to the Constitutional convention a new provision, that aliens shall not be allowed to own land in Oklahoma, and the Legislature is charged with the enactment of laws whereby if they acquire land by descent or otherwise they shall either dispose of it within five years or forfeit it to the State. This provision does not apply to Indians born within the State, or to aliens who may become bona fide inhabitants of the State.

The committee suggests that no corporation be chartered for the purpose of acquiring or trading in real estate other than that located in towns, nor shall any corporation doing business in the State acquire or trade in real estate in any town or city and additions thereto. Corporations are not precluded from taking mortgages on real estate and foreclosing on same to satisfy debts, but are not allowed to hold same for more than five years. The legislature is empowered to enact laws for the registration of land titles.

Sid Riedel for Constable.

For the office of Constable in Ada precinct Sid Riedel announces subject to the arbitrament of the Democratic primary.

Born in Alabama in 1876, while he was a mere child the family removed to Arkansas, where Sid grew to manhood. Some four years ago he made another move westward and located in Ada, where he has been continuously engaged in real estate and collecting business.

As a deputy sheriff in Arkansas Mr.

Riedel served for two years with satisfaction. Latterly, here in Ada he has frequently acted as special officer in the service of process—when other officers were overburdened with business—and his services have been notably efficient and satisfactory to clients.

If a man sues for a forty dollar debt and has to run an attachment to get his money, he is entitled to the same careful, intelligent service on the part of a constable as that man who sue for \$4,000 is entitled to on the part of a sheriff. Here, perhaps, lies the important part of a constable's duties—any law abiding community. Sid Riedel knows how.

Mr. Riedel is, besides, a born Democrat, having cast his first vote for W. J. Bryan; and he has many good, discriminating Democrats as friends, who are bent on his nomination. According to indications he must be among the front ones when the bunch finishes under the wire.

Plays that appeal to the heart and play that heads of families can bring their children to see are the plays that thrive. Such a play is "Along the Kennebec," which will be presented in this city next Friday evening, March 1.

With its wealth of beautiful scenery and a company of actors unequalled in any in their respective lines. The play is said to be full of bright, sparkling comedy and a splendid band and orchestra is carried and good music is one of the many features.

That's all, Nuf said, when you say that Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is the greatest family remedy on earth. It does you good going and coming. 5 cents, Tea or Tablets. G. M. Ramse

NEARING END OF SENATOR BAILEY'S INVESTIGATION

Austin, Texas, Feb. 25.—The following statement was handed to the press last night from Senator Bailey's headquarters:

Many friends and supporters of Senator Bailey throughout the State have requested us to notify them when the report of the investigating committee would be before the Legislature for final action, and in response to this request from such a great number, we deem it proper to say to them that our information is that steps will be taken in the Senate on Monday looking to immediate and final settlement of the issue in that body.

We are also advised that the subcommittee of the House has about completed its labors. This being the case, the full committee will doubtless report to the House some time Monday its findings. Based on this assumption, the report of the House committee will be before the House for consideration on Tuesday morning.

In our opinion this report in its findings will so clearly exonerate Senator

Bailey and vindicate him, it would seem that no reasonable man ought to deny him the fullest exoneration and the most complete vindication of every charge made against him before he returns to Washington to qualify as Senator from this imperial State for another six years.

However, we do not desire to disappoint our friends or deceive the public. Senator Bailey has many personal as well as political enemies who will doubtless seek this as a last opportunity to undertake to humiliate him at home and injure him abroad by casting their vote against such a resolution of vindication as he will be entitled to. There certainly can not be a very considerable number of those after the committee hearings most of them have heretofore had from their constituents.

Delay will, of course, be parliamentary procedure resorted to, the effect of which will be to reflect injury.

Loyal Democrats of Texas who have waited patiently for the end will, we are assured, tolerate no further procrastination.

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LOWEST PRICES
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Subject to the action of the Demo-
cratic primary election.

For United States Senator
HENRY M. FURMAN
M. L. TURNER

For Congress
CHARLEY D. CARTER
D. H. LINEBAUGH
F. W. SKILLERN
E. P. HILL
CHAS. E. MCPHERREN

For State Treasurer
J. A. MENEFEE

For Circuit Judge
EUGENE E. WHITE

For County Judge
J. P. WOOD
A. M. CROXTON

For County Attorney

For Sheriff
ROBERT NESTER
A. A. (GUS) BOBBITT
L. E. (LEM) MITCHELL
JAMES D. GAAR
J. E. (ED) FUSSELL

For County Clerk
C. A. (CHARLIE) POWERS
W. S. (SAM) KERR
H. WOODARD
M. F. DEW.

For District Clerk

For County Treasurer
J. C. CATES
C. K. DAVENPORT
J. K. SCRUGGIN

For County Tax Assessor
A. L. MILES

For Register of Deeds
A. C. BRAY
GARY KITCHENS
C. C. HARGIS

For County Coroner
DR. JOHN W. DAVENPORT

For County Surveyor

For Supt. of Public Instruction

For County Commissioners

For Justice of the Peace, Ada Precinct
W. H. NETTLES
H. J. BROWN

For Constable Ada Precinct
CHARLES A. THOMAS
SID RIDELL

For Mayor
C. O. BARTON

For City Attorney
THOMAS P. HOLT

For City Marshal
F. J. ETTER
W. C. BAILEY
G. W. CULVER
R. C. (DICK) COUCH

For City Recorder, Ass'r and Collector
JESSE WARREN
P. C. DUNCAN

Neglected Colds Threatened Life.

[From the Chicago Tribune.]
"Don't trifle with a cold," is good advice for prudent men and women. It may be vital in the case of a child. Proper food, good ventilation, and dry, warm clothing are the proper safeguards against colds. If they are maintained through the changeable weather of autumn, winter and spring, the chances of a surprise from ordinary colds will be slight. But the ordinary light cold will become severe if neglected, and a well established ripe cold is to the germs of diphtheria what honey is to the bees. The greatest menace to child life at this season of the year is the neglected cold." Whether it is a child or adult, the cold slight or severe, the very best treatment that can be adopted is to give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is safe and sure. The great popularity and immense sale of his preparation has been attained by its remarkable cures of this ailment. A cold never results in pneumonia when it is given. For sale by G. M. Ramsey.

Neighbors Got Fooled

"I was literally coughing myself to death, and had become too weak to leave my bed; and neighbors predicted I would never leave it alive, but they got fooled, for thanks be to God, I was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery. It took just four one dollar bottles to completely cure the cough and restore me to good sound health," writes Mrs. Eva Uncapher, of Grovertown, Stark Co., Ind. This King of cough and cold cures, and healer of throat and lungs, is guaranteed by G. M. Ramsey, druggist, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Even From the Mountains

Ballard's Snow Liniment is praised for the good it does. A sure cure for Rheumatism and all pains. Wright W. Loving, Grand Junction, Colo., writes: "I used Ballard's Snow Liniment, last winter, for Rheumatism and can recommend it as the best Liniment on the market. I thought, at the time I was taken down with this trouble, that it would be a week before I could get about, but on applying your Liniment several times during the night, I was about in 48 hours and well in three days."

Ada Opera House

One night only

FRIDAY, MAR. 1

The beautiful down east play

ALONG THE KENNEBEC

Hear the splendid orchestra, the comedy quartet, the good singing. See the realistic snow storm, the funny dual scene, the thrilling explosion scene. Clever character specialties. Bright music and comedy. Watch for parade at noon. Reserved seats on sale at Ramsey's drug store.

Prices 75, 50, 35c

Brick! Brick!! Brick!!!

This ad is for those who need GOOD BRICK and don't know that we have them. Brick are fire-proof and last longer than cement blocks, stone and lumber. A wooden house is an old house in a few years, while a well-built Brick house improves in its looks.

ADA PRESSED BRICK & TILE CO.

OVERDRAFTS

It is becoming well known by business men that overdrafts, whether large or small, are not approved by the comptroller of the currency. The large central banks allow overdrafts only in a very small way, and this, it matters not how small, is not approved by the powers that be. This unbusinesslike habit of overdrafts grew out of advancing on moving products, such as cotton, grain and fat stock on the move. The overdraft system is wrong and the man whose account is always overdrawn is the man who spends more money than he makes and will finally have no bank account.

Ada National Bank

Capital and Surplus, \$88,500.

INDIAN SCULPTURE IS LOST.

Action of Water Destroys Relic Prize
by Antiquarians.

One of three known examples in the United States, the famous Indian "sculpture" on two of the immense rocks which form the "great falls" of the Connecticut river at Bellows Falls, has been entirely obliterated, not a trace of the marking which recorded some important event in the history of the aborigines being left.

The sculpture was a favorite subject of discussion for antiquarians, and developed much controversy as to the manner and time in which it was made. When first discovered it consisted of a group of sixteen or eighteen variously ornamented heads plainly cut into the rocks. The main piece of work was shown on a flat space about fifteen feet wide and six feet high, and consisted of four heads each surmounted with a pair of rays and numerous heads without any decoration. On the other rock was one large head with at least eight rays, this head being fourteen inches in depth and ten inches across at the forehead. There may have been originally also an inscription, but if so it had become obliterated by the action of the water years ago.

The markings are supposed to have represented a victory at or near Bellows Falls by four bands and their chiefs under one principal chief.

The fact that the action of the water has removed what was discovered on the rocks a hundred years or so ago indicates to not a few that much more of the record must have disappeared previously.

EGGS COOKED WITHOUT FIRE.

Eastern Dish Served to Guests of New York Restaurant.

There is a Turkish restaurant in New York where one may eat pilaffs, sherbets and saffron-colored goat stew, but the odder dish the menu boasts is "whirled eggs."

Whirled eggs, an impressive dish, is prepared before the guest. When it is ordered a cook enters the dining room with a kind of sling in his hand—a little pot attached to the end of a leather cord.

The man opens the eggs, seasons them and shuts them up in the little pot. Then he whirls the pot at the end of its cord around his head at inconceivable speed. Round and round it runs. Its outlines become vague. It seems to smoke a little.

Suddenly the man opens it and sets the eggs before the guest. They are beautifully scrambled and quite hot. The heat of their motion through the air is what has cooked them.

"Thus," explains the Turkish host, "the Eastern shepherds cook their eggs, whirling them in a sling like that wherewith David overcame the giant Goliath."

The Vegetarian Bed.
"What a delightful bed you gave me," said the guest. "I never slept so well in all my life. Why, it was like camping in the woods."

The vegetarian host smiled.

"And did you notice the smell of the bed?" he asked.

"I should think so," said the other. "An odor like pine forests, fields of lavender, flowers and ferns."

"It was a vegetarian bed you slept on," said the host. "Not a bed of vile horse hair, torn from the worn-out carcass of a poor dead nag, but a bed of dried mosses and ferns and bay and pungent, aromatic herbs."

"We vegetarians invented this bed a year ago, and all who try it love it. It is quite as comfortable, quite as springs and elastic, as a horse hair bed and it is much more pleasant and healthful. Its sweet, woodland odor induces sleep like morphine."

Records for Reading.

"Our reading record," said the aged librarian, "is held by a rich old lady of 73 years. She has read, our books show, over 15,000 volumes—300 volumes a year since 1854."

"Our average subscriber reads in the year's course from 75 to 100 volumes, though we have many clients who get through 200 volumes every 12 months. Those who buy their books read much less. I am informed by a bookseller that the average book buyer doesn't read more than 25 or 30 books a year. The book buyer who reads 100 books a year is a very rare bird."

A Telephonic Surprise.

"There was a patient in my office the other day when the telephone rang," remarked the doctor, "and I conversed with the party on the other end of the wire in German. When I replaced the receiver and turned to the patient he looked at me in surprise and said:

"Ain't that wonderful! I didn't know it was possible to speak in German over the telephone."

The End of It.

"Now," said Markley, "here's a \$5 bill. I can lend you that—"

"Oh say," exclaimed Nervey, "can't you double it?"

"Of course. See? I double it once and then once again. In that shape it goes back into my pocketbook. Good day!"

Tough Luck.

"Did you call at Roxley's house?" asked the young doctor's wife.

"Yes," replied the doctor, "and I wish he had sent for me sooner."

"Gracious, is he so seriously ill?"

"No; just the contrary. I'm afraid he'll be all right again before I get half a dozen visits."

Have You Done Your Share?

Towards advertising Ada—if not, speak a good word for your town. Below we have prepared a form for the reverse side of your envelope that tersely tells the world who we are and what we have. It costs you but a trifl- means of calling investors' attention to our city. Call us up, we do the r

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The biggest little city in the new commonwealth. The city that has never experienced either a boom or a blow. During its six years' life it has gradually grown into a commercial and railroad center of 4,600 population. The growth has been natural, solid, and enduring.

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is a city built upon a rock, and it will stand. It is in the logical belt of various mineral resources. Court town for 18th Recording District and unquestionably a county seat under statehood. Not a rival town within a radius of 40 miles. In a cotton country, but not DEPENDANT UPON cotton. Healthful climate; good water. Low taxes; real estate values reasonable, but rising. Ada is the place pre-eminent to live or invest in. Better get in on the ground floor before the skyscrapers come.

News Job Printing Department

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Notice of Marshal's Sale

United States of America
Southern District Of Indian Territory

Public notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of sale, (or execution) dated January 9th A. D. 1907, issued out of the district court of the United States for the Southern district, of Indian Territory at Ada on a judgment rendered in said court, on the fourth day of October, A. D. 1906, in favor of J. M. Bruner, and against Harry Bowler.

I have on this 5th day of February, 1907, levied upon the following described real estate, situated in the city of Ada, Ind. Ter. to-wit:

Lots No. 10, No. 11 and No. 12, in

Block No. 40, in the city of Ada, I. T., with all the improvements thereon to satisfy a vendor's lien of two hundred and fifty dollars interest and cost.

And that I will, accordingly, offer said real estate for sale, at public vendue to the highest and best bidder, on a credit of three months, the purchaser giving good and sufficient security, on the 28th day of February, A. D. 1907, sold sale to be made subject to all payments due the United States and on behalf of the Chickasaw and Choctaw tribe of Indians, from townsite sales, at Noon M., in front of the court house at Ada, Ind. Ter.

Dated, Ada, Ind. Ter. February 5th, A. D. 1907.

G. A. Porter, U. S. Marshal. Southern District of Indian Ter.

By T. E. Brents, Deputy.

Rising From The Grave

A prominent manufacturer, W. M. A. Fertwell, of Lumbana, N. C. relates a most remarkable experience. He says: after taking less than three bottles of Electric Bitters, I feel like one rising from the grave. My trouble is Bright's disease, in the diabetes stage. I fully believe Electric Bitters will cure me permanently, for it has already stopped the liver and bladder complications which have troubled me for years. Guaranteed at G. M. Ramsey druggist. Price only 50c.

For Rheumatic Sufferers.

The quick relief from pain afforded by applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm makes it a favorite with sufferers from rheumatism, sciatica, lame back, lumbago, and deep seated and muscular pains. For Sale by G. M. Ramsey.

STATEMENT JANUARY 1, 1907

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By depositing a part of your earnings. We take small amounts and treat you courteously.

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LOCAL NEWS

Tell Or Telephone It

If you have visitors and are not ashamed of them—phone number 4 or tell the reporter so. Do likewise if members of your family or neighbors depart or arrive. Don't be bashful.

42 Cards at Mason's. Have you seen them? 286-tf

Morgan Hancock, who had been on a short visit with his sister, Mrs. J. E. Jones, left today for his home, Paris, Texas.

Dick Harris, erstwhile of the Chapman Hotel, has gone to Francis to enter the railroad service.

Right price on wall paper Ingram Paint Co. 287-tf

For RENT—4 Room cottage on E. 13th street. Inquire News office. 286-tf

Miss Ethel Martin spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents in Shawnee.

Dr. Davenport was here from Oakman today.

Good farm to rent and good team to sell on time. U. G. Winn. 279-tf

H. A. Davis, with his family, returned to Ada yesterday and will make this his head quarters for a time.

FOR SALE—Three registered Durham bulls. Cash or credit. U. G. Winn. 258 tf w41tf

Geo. A. Pruitt went to Stonewall.

W. A. Holifield returned this morning from Konawa.

Choice beef, pork and sausage on hand at O. K. Meat Market. 285-3t

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Swaffar were here from Stonewall for Sunday.

"The Latest" 42 cards at Mason's. 286-tf

Messrs. J. A. and C. M. Parrish were here from Roff over night.

M. B. Donaghay was a visitor to Roff today.

Double 9 Domino cards for 42, at Mason's. 286-tf

A. M. Croxton was in Roff today.

D. C. Patton and A. M. Leonard, after a business visit in Ada, returned to Sulphur this morning.

Advice to mothers. Don't let your children waste away. They can be strong, healthy and vigorous with Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It's a swift winged messenger of health, 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. G. M. Ramsey.

Attorneys Anderson and Bullock came up from Roff this morning.

T. P. Holt went to Ardmore on a professional mission.

New wall paper at Ingram Paint Co. 287-tf

L. D. Ratliff left on a business trip to Ft. Worth and Henrietta, Texas.

D. A. Spears was here from Owl yesterday.

S. R. Tolbert went to Ardmore last night on legal business. 41

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Murderers Who Have Pledged for Execution of Sentence.

The case of the condemned murderer, who the other day practically sentenced himself by refusing to sign a petition for a reprieve, is not so rare as many people imagine.

One famous parallel instance was that of Rev. Mr. Hackman, who shot an actress, Miss Reay, as she was leaving the stage door of Covent Garden theater, and who, although actually offered a commutation, preferred to die upon the gallows in the expiation of his crime.

Only a few weeks back, again, the Berlin papers chronicled the case of a wealthy land owner, who, having shot a servant in a fit of passion, tried him, with himself as judge, and sentenced himself to ten years' solitary confinement in one of his own private dungeons in his own medieval castle in the heart of the Black Forest.

Nine years and some odd months of this punishment he actually endured, his house steward doing him out daily a meager ration of coarse prison fare. Luckily for him, however, the authorities got to hear of the affair and he was haled before the ordinary tribunal to await his trial in due course.

Another extraordinary case also, curiously enough, of German origin, was that of a sergeant major of an infantry regiment stationed in Bremen, who a few weeks back sentenced himself to be shot by a squad of his own men. The soldiers thought they were firing blank, but the self-condemned man had surreptitiously removed the harmless cartridges and substituted ball ammunition, so that at his own word of command, "Fire," he fell dead.

Finally, it may be mentioned that John Lee, the Babbacombe murderer, who survived three separate attempts to hang him owing to some defect in the machinery of the drop, insisted vehemently that his sentence must be carried out "according to law."

This is, of course, quite contrary to the generally received opinion regarding the case. But the writer was recently assured of its correctness by the convict's own mother, and her assurance is borne out by Rev. John Pitkin, who was chaplain of Exeter gaol at the time.

Said this gentleman the other day: "When the attempt to execute him (Lee) failed, he called out again and again, 'I will be executed.' And when I suggested after the third attempt to take his life that the execution should be postponed, Lee exclaimed, 'Aren't they going to execute me? I will be executed!'" — Pearson's Weekly.

Intelligent Pharmacy.

One of the ablest physicians in New York was in financial straits in his young days and looked long and hard for a job. Finally he was engaged in a small shop in Cherry street, in the midst of sailors' boarding houses "and such." One night a woman asked for an ounce of some deadly poison. "What are you going to do with it?" said the young pharmacist. She replied quickly: "I am going to drink it; I am weary of living! I shall commit suicide." "In that case," she he, "I won't sell it to you; you will have to obtain it elsewhere." She laughed. "Oh, do you take me for a fool? If I wanted to kill myself do you suppose I'd tell you? Honestly, I want the medicine for my husband, a longshoreman, who is in great distress." "That's different," said our young friend, who thereupon sold the poison and made her sign for it. As she passed out of the door she yelled in maniac tones: "Ya, ya! I got you that time! I'll be in hell in seven minutes!"

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Colors to the Blind.

"Have you any conception of color?" a friend asked blind man. "What idea have you when you hear colors mentioned?"

"A person blind from birth as I have been can have no possible proper conception of color," was the reply. "To me color is sound, or rather, music. When I hear the word red, for example, I instantly think of a high piercing note of music; blue is to me a delicately sounded note fairly high and pleasing in tone; green is a soft tone and rather low, quiet and restful; while yellow is lively, quick little notes rapidly sounding and causing pleasure, almost to laughter. Black, alas! is the only color we can realize, for we are told that that is the absence of all light, and we know only too well what that means."

Garbed Like Player Queen.

As she came into the corridor of the opera house every woman's eye turned in her direction, attracted by the curious head covering she wore. It looked like one of the crowns a player wears in a Shakespearean play, since it consisted of nothing but a band of heavy gold braid, of the kind known technically as "galloon," with a circular top to it fashioned of purple velvet. Around her neck she wore a thin scarf of a shade that toned in with the color of the velvet and the final touch of Shakespearean suggestion was added when she lifted up her skirt, disclosing her ankles clad in mauve silk stockings and her feet covered with a pair of sandals in mauve colored kid through the openings in which the stockings could be plainly seen.

Taking to Avoid Exposure.
Hicks—I carried my wife's umbrella with me yesterday and lost it somewhere. Now she wants to advertise it.
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WHOLE TOWN WON BY "REVIVAL"

Remarkable Success Attends Work of Evangelists at Abingdon, Illinois.

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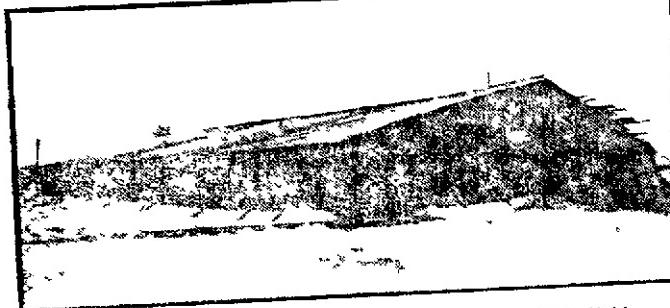
Over 700 Converts in City of About 2,500 Population—Churches Not Large Enough to Hold Crowd and a Tabernacle Erected by Voluntary Laborers—Business Men Plan to Build Permanent Y. M. C. A. Building for Youth of the Town as a Monument to the Wonderful Work

Abingdon, Ill., is resounding with the news that town converts all save \$300 or \$400. The place is transformed. The streets ring with Gospel songs day and night. Corinthian meetings are now the fashion and many heathens who had thought swimming and swearing newsworthy are now hours reading their Bibles and praying. The community has been moved in much the same way it was when the Welsh valleys in the heat of the awakening.

The movement began under the leadership of two young evangelists, Ira Evans Hicks and E. S. Galloway, assisted by Hon. Alexander brother of Charles W. Alexander, the famous Gospel singer. Some idea of the upsurge wrought by the revival may be gained from the fact that there were over 700 converts with scores of backsliders reclaimed in a town of only about 2,500 population.

Volunteers Erect Tabernacle

The meetings began a month ago in the largest church Abingdon, seating 500 people. It was overflowed, so they too sat and with the aid of western emetics they slept on the floor. The evangelists then set to work to erect a tabernacle. They sold all their furniture, with the assistance of about 200 volunteers, to furnish seats for 2,000 visitors erected in three days. Not a cent was spent for rent. It soon became a似常的 thing where they were welcomed all through the city. It was filled with hopes and bidding them come forth again, it was filled with loves.



Immense Tabernacle Erected in Which Services Were Held

the masses went forward with redoubled zeal. The town is young men of the town attended nightly the services, even from all the surrounding districts and the building proved too full to hold the throngs which gathered day by day. People's hearts are in answer to prayer that they will return. The young evangelists and their helpers make it a rule to sing an hour daily in prayer. The youth quickly caught the religious fervor and they too spent hours in their labors. During the fourth week over 100 people agreed to stand at least half an hour daily in prayer. It is known that even some of the children spent an hour in prayer daily.

Revival Flame Strong

The revival flame swept the town almost like a fire. And in the early evenings we saw boys and girls, then come young men and women, and finally men who had never professed Christianity, business men, college students, workmen in the factories and gray-haired army veterans. In a num-



E. S. Galloway

ber of cases four or five members of one family were converted. One young man arose in a meeting and testified that his father (an ex-saloon keeper) and mother and five brothers and four sisters had been saved—all in all.

In the large wagon factory in Abingdon scores of the men went forward and professed salvation. The entire atmosphere of the place was changed. Scarcely half a dozen men were left unconverted. Instead of

drinking and swearing at the dinner hour, they now have a daily song service and prayer meeting. One of the factory converts was an atheist for many years, who roundly cursed everything Christian. He now carries a little Testament in his pocket whenever he goes. Another convert was a notorious character about the town, drunkards and rascals, and being once nearly killed in a brawl. He is a big, stout man and is now throwing all his energy into winning others. Within two days after his conversion he had led nine old companions to the front to publicly confess their faith.

Students Brought to Grace

Hedding College is located in Abingdon and the revival without the expense thereof. Of the 10 regular students all but four or five are now converted. As one of the professors expressed it: "Nobody tries to keep track of the prayer meetings. The attendance varies from two up to almost twice the number of students."

One of the most enthusiastic converts was the editor of one of the local papers. He helped promote the movement and sent it far into the more distant districts by placing his paper in the hands of the evangelists for a week. They issued three editions describing the work in Abingdon and giving news of the world wide awakenings. In each issue there were about two columns of Scripture narrative, put into newspaper form and a decision column which could be signed by individuals and sent the evangelists. It created great interest among the people.

Ira Evans Hicks, a young man who is one of the foremost students in Hedding College, decided to become a Gospel singer. He now has charge of the choir in the First Church in Abingdon and has exceptional talent as a singer and musical conductor. He has been a small Christ in the eyes of a few days as he claimed that he before his initiation had been to become a singer and singer for his own glory but that now he has yielded all to Christ and desires to be used for God's glory. He will probably unite with Hon. Alexander in conducting revival meetings in the neighboring town.

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Ada is now the county seat, and has a great future before it. We have three railroads with a prospect of two more, a cotton compress, a cotton oil mill, a pressed brick plant, and numerous smaller industries. Also have a large cement plant under construction that will employ 250 men, there is under construction a canning factory and the city is spending \$40,000 on additional water works.

WHY SHOULD ADA NOT GROW?

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BIG BLAZE AT MUSKOGEE--- MASONIC RECORDS LOST

Muskogee, I. T., Feb. 25.—At an early hour Sunday morning the Culbertson building, together with its entire contents, was destroyed by fire. The ground floor was occupied by the Fair Mercantile Company, one of the largest department stores in the city. The upper floors were occupied by real estate and professional men. Electric light wires were melted and exposed wires threatened the entire block, necessitating the shutting down of the power plant, putting the city in total darkness.

The suddenness with which the fire broke out caused several narrow escapes of persons sleeping in the building.

Aside from the enormous loss financially, the most distressing feature is the entire loss of the records of the local and grand Masonic lodges of Indian Territory. The records were kept in the office of Major Walron, secretary of the chapter and commandery.

The loss is estimated at \$39,000, with \$26,300 insurance.

Democrat in New Dress.

The Weekly Democrat in its last issue comes out beamingly in a new

dress. She looks clean and incorruptible.

A Stitch in Time,

will save nine. So will a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup always kept on hand save many a spell of sickness. A sure cure for Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis and Whooping Cough. Mrs. S.— Hot Springs, Ark. writes: "I keep a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup in my medicine chest, and thank my forethought many times. It has prevented many severe spells of sickness." Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

A Vote Winner.

The News respectfully solicits the printing of your cards announcing to your friends and those you may meet, your candidacy. The card method of soliciting support has been demonstrated to be good; it helps to become acquainted and will win you votes.

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RYAN AND BEVERIDGE TO DEBATE ON STATE'S RIGHTS

New York, Feb. 25.—A special to the Herald from Washington says:

In the joint debate which they will begin in the forthcoming number of the Reader Magazine, William J. Bryan of Nebraska and A. J. Beveridge of Indiana join issue on the question of the power of the federal government.

Mr. Bryan stands squarely with the citizens of San Francisco in their demand that they be accorded the right to regulate attendance upon their own schools in their own way.

"The Nation vs. State's Rights" is the topic of the first debate. Mr. Bryan speaks distinctly for the old idea of quality of government, while Senator Beveridge defends what he terms "the people's instinctive effort toward national unity."

"Upon no subject will the people of a state insist more strenuously in controlling their own affairs than in matters of education," says Mr. Bryan.

The school room is in close and constant contact with the home and the parents having a vital interest in the instruction of their children and an intimate acquaintance with local conditions would not and should not consent to national control or supervision."

Senator Beveridge finds the "heart of the present battle against the people's instinctive effort toward national unity" to be the unrighteous pocket-book, which finds itself threatened by nationality.

"Every corporation so great that its business is nation-wide is championing state's rights," Mr. Beveridge declares.

Another Railroad Possibility.

The St. Louis, Springfield and Oklahoma Western Railway company, with \$3,750,000 capital stock, was granted a charter at Guthrie Saturday by Secretary Charles H. Filson. Headquarters are to be maintained at Lawton and Sulphur, and the road is to be built 226 east from Lawton to Sulphur, thence northeast through McAlester and Stigler to Sallisaw. The incorporators are C. S. Stocker, of Stigler, W. T. Douglas, R. Downing and A. D. Goodenough of Sulphur and J. J. Beall and J. D. F. Jennings of Oklahoma City. Taking the route defined the line could scarcely afford to miss Ada.

This is a reincorporation of this company. To the group of incorporators there has been a valuable addition—G. S. Stocker, of Stigler. He is a practical and prominent railroad builder, well known in Ada as having been connected with the construction of the M. K. & T., through here. Moreover, Mr. Stocker holds a friendly feeling for Ada, which is an item often in securing railroad lines.

Paint and Paper.

Wilson & Nash have latest sample books of wall paper. It's worth your while to figure with them before having any papering or painting done. Guarantee satisfaction. West of Central Hotel.

When you want a nice fat chicken phone Judge Hilton, chicken specialist.

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SUPREME COURT DECIDES IT HAS NO JURISDICTION

The Oklahoma supreme court Saturday night held it had no jurisdiction to act in the case wherein the commissioners of Greer county asked an injunction prohibiting the constitutional convention from dividing that county. All seven members of the bench were present, and it is understood the vote reaching the decision was four to three.

Associate Justice Clinton S. Irwin, however, was the only member to give a dissenting opinion. The majority opinion simply held that the territorial supreme court possesses appellate jurisdiction only.

Chief Justice John H. Burford handed down the majority opinion, holding the supreme court has no original jurisdiction in injunction cases. Under this decision, therefore, the Greer county commissioners may file their case in the district court here immediately and then appeal to the supreme court if necessary.

Justice Bayard P. Hainer held absolutely that the convention has power to do whatever it may please, wherein it is not repugnant to the enabling act.

and the federal constitution, and if the constitution is adopted by the people then the constitutionality must be tested by the president of the United States. He held that this complaint of Greer county should be filed with President Roosevelt.

Chief Justice Burford admitted that the case was a novelty in legal history.

The case was argued in the court for the plaintiff by former United States Attorney Horace Speed and for the convention by Delegates Henry F. Aspinwall (republican) of Guthrie, and W. A. Ledbetter (democrat) of Ardmore.

Notice.

The Democrats of the city of Ada are requested to meet at the United States Commissioner's court room Monday night, February 25, at 7:30 o'clock for the purpose of electing officers of the Ada Democratic Club and to transact such other business as may be deemed advisable.

In case the court room can not be secured the meeting will be held at the Mayor's Office.

J. P. Wood,
President Ada Democratic Club.

NEARING END OF SENATOR BAILEY'S INVESTIGATION

Austin, Texas, Feb. 25.—The following statement was handed to the press last night from Senator Bailey's headquarters:

Many friends and supporters of Senator Bailey throughout the State have requested us to notify them when the report of the investigating committee would be before the Legislature for final action, and in response to this request from such a great number, we deem it proper to say to them that our information is that steps will be taken in the Senate on Monday looking to immediate and final settlement of the issue in that body.

We are also advised that the subcommittee of the House has about completed its labors. This being the case, the full committee will doubtless report to the House some time Monday its findings. Based on this assumption, the report of the House committee will be before the House for consideration on Tuesday morning.

In our opinion this report in its findings will so clearly exonerate Senator

Bailey and vindicate him, it would seem that no reasonable man ought to deny him the fullest exoneration and the most complete vindication of every charge made against him before he returns to Washington to qualify as Senator from this imperial State for another six years.

However, we do not desire to disappoint our friends or deceive the public. Senator Bailey has many personal as well as political enemies who will doubtless seek this as a last opportunity to undertake to humiliate him at home and injure him abroad by casting their vote against such a resolution of vindication as he will be entitled to. There certainly can not be a very considerable number of those after the committee hearings most of them have heretofore had from their constituents. Delay will, of course, be parliamentary procedure resorted to, the effect of which will be to reflect injury.

Loyal Democrats of Texas who have waited patiently for the end will, we are assured, tolerate no further procrastination.

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2 boxes Defiance or Faultless Starch	15c
4 cans Eagle Eye	25c
2 bottles good Ink	5c
1 lot fine Toilet Soap worth 25c, goes at 15c	
1 lot fancy Work Baskets worth 25c, go at 10c	
2 China Nest Eggs	5c
1 1-2 qt. Granite Pans	5c
No. 2 plain Lamp Chimney	15c
No. 2 fancy Lamp Chimney	15c
1 pint Granite Cups	5c

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The People Who Put The Price Down

STILL STRONGER AGAINST ALIEN LAND OWNERSHIP

Guthrie, Ok., Feb. 25.—The special committee to handle the question of alien ownership of land and the ownership of land by corporations reported to the Constitutional convention a new provision, that aliens shall not be allowed to own land in Oklahoma, and the Legislature is charged with the enactment of laws whereby if they acquire land by descent or otherwise they shall either dispose of it within five years or forfeit it to the State. This provision does not apply to Indians born within the State, or to aliens who may become bona fide inhabitants of the State.

The committee suggests that no corporation be chartered for the purpose of acquiring or trading in real estate other than that located in towns, nor shall any corporation doing business in the State acquire or trade in real estate for any purpose except such as may be located in such towns and cities and additional thereto. Corporations are not precluded from taking mortgages on real estate and foreclosing on same to satisfy debts, but are not allowed to hold same for more than five years.

The legislature is empowered to enact laws for the registration of land titles. Sid Riedel for Constable.

For the office of Constable in Ada precinct Sid Riedel announces subject to the arbitration of the Democratic primary.

Born in Alabama in 1876, while he was a mere child the family removed to Arkansas, where Sid grew to manhood. Some four years ago he made another move westward and located in Ada, where he has been continuously engaged in real estate and collecting business.

As a deputy sheriff in Arkansas Mr.

Riedel served for two years with signs satisfaction. Latterly, here in Ada he has frequently acted as special officer in the service of process—when other officers were overburdened with business and his services have been notably efficient and satisfactory to clients.

If a man sues for a forty dollar debt and has to run an attachment to get his money, he is entitled to the same careful, intelligent service on the part of a constable as that man who sued for \$4,000 is entitled to on the part of a sheriff. Here, perhaps, lies the important part of a constable's duties in any law abiding community. Sid Riedel knows how.

Mr. Riedel is, besides, a born Democrat, having cast his first vote for W. J. Bryan; and he has many good, discriminating Democrats as friends, who are bent on his nomination. According to indications he must be among the front ones when the bunch finishes under the wire.

Plays that appeal to the heart and play that heads of families can bring their children to see are the plays that thrive. Such a play is "Along the Kennebec," which will be presented this city next Friday evening, March 1, with its wealth of beautiful scenes and a company of actors unequalled in any in their respective lines. The play is said to be full of bright, sparkling comedy and a splendid band and orchestra carried and good music is one of the many features.

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A. M. CROXTON

For County Attorney

For Sheriff
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LOCAL NEWS

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If you have visitors and are not ashamed of them—phone number 4 or tell the reporter so. Do likewise if members of your family or neighbors depart or arrive. Don't be bashful.

42 Cards at Mason's. Have you seen them? 286-tf

Morgan Hancock, who had been on a short visit with his sister, Mrs. J. E. Jones, left today for his home, Paris, Texas.

Dick Harris, erstwhile of the Chapman Hotel, has gone to Francis to enter the railroad service.

Right price on wall paper Ingram Paint Co. 287-tf

FOR RENT—4 Room cottage on E. 18th street. Inquire News office. 286-tf

Miss Ethel Martin spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents in Shawnee.

Dr. Davenport was here from Oakman today.

Good farm to rent and good team to sell on time. U. G. Winn. 279-tf

H. A. Davis, with his family, returned to Ada yesterday and will make this his head quarters for a time.

FOR SALE—Three registered Durham bulls. Cash or credit. U. G. Winn. 268-tf

Geo. A. Truitt went to Stonewall.

W. A. Holifield returned this morning from Konawa.

Choice beef, pork and sausage on hand at O. K. Meat Market. 285-3t

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Swaffar were here from Stonewall for Sunday.

"The Latest" 42 cards at Mason's. 286-tf

Messrs. J. A. and C. M. Parrish were here from Roff over night.

M. B. Donaghey was a visitor to Roff today.

Double 9 Domino cards for 42, at Mason's. 286-tf

A. M. Croxton was in Roff today.

D. C. Patton and A. M. Leonard, after a business visit in Ada, returned to Sulphur this morning.

Advice to mothers. Don't let your children waste away. They can be strong, healthy and vigorous with Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It's a swift winged messenger of health, 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. G. M. Ramsey.

Attorneys Anderson and Bullock came up from Roff this morning.

T. P. Holt went to Ardmore on a professional mission.

New wall paper at Ingram Paint Co. 287-tf

L. D. Ratliff left on a business trip to Ft. Worth and Henrietta, Texas.

D. A. Spears was here from Owl yesterday.

S. R. Tolbert went to Ardmore last night on legal business.

50 Per cent discount on all wall paper at Wilson & Nash's. West of Central Hotel. 289-6t

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INSISTED ON BEING HANGED.

Murderers Who Have Pleaded for Execution of Sentence.

The case of the condemned murderer, who the other day practically sentenced himself by refusing to sign a petition for a reprieve, is not so rare as many people imagine. One famous parallel instance was that of Rev. Mr. Hackman, who shot an actress, Miss Reay, as she was leaving the stage door of Covent Garden theater, and who, although actually offered a commutation, preferred to die upon the gallows in the explosion of his crime.

Only a few weeks back, again, the Berlin papers chronicled the case of a wealthy land owner, who, having shot a servant in a fit of passion, tried him, with himself as judge, and sentenced himself to ten years' solitary confinement in one of his own private dungeons in his own medieval castle in the heart of the Black Forest.

Nine years and some odd months of this punishment he actually endured, his house steward dozing him out daily a meager ration of coarse prison fare. Unluckily for him, however, the authorities got to hear of the affair and he was haled before the ordinary tribunal to await his trial in due course.

Another extraordinary case also, curiously enough, of German origin, was that of a sergeant major of an infantry regiment stationed in Bremen, who a few weeks back sentenced himself to be shot by a squad of his own men.

The soldiers thought they were firing blank, but the self-condemned man had surreptitiously removed the harmless cartridges and substituted blank ammunition, so that at his own word of command, "Fire," he fell dead. Finally, it may be mentioned that John Lee, the Babbacombe murderer, who survived three separate attempts to hang him owing to some defect in the machinery of the drop, insisted vehemently that his sentence must be carried out "according to law."

This is, of course, quite contrary to the generally received opinion regarding the case. But the writer was recently assured of its correctness by the convict's own mother, and her assurance is borne out by Rev. John Pitkin, who was chaplain of Exeter gaol at the time.

Said this gentleman the other day: "When the attempt to execute him (Lee) failed, he called out again and again, 'I will be executed.' And when I suggested after the third attempt to take his life that the execution should be postponed, Lee exclaimed, 'Aren't they going to execute me? I will be executed!'" — Pearson's Weekly.

Intelligent Pharmacy.

One of the ablest physicians in New York was in financial straits in his young days, and looked long and hard for a job. Finally he was engaged in a small shop in Cherry street, in the midst of sailors' boarding houses, "and such." One night a woman asked for an ounce of some deadly poison. "What are you going to do with it?" said the young pharmacist. She replied quickly: "I am going to drink it; I am weary of living! I shall commit suicide." "In that case," she he, "I won't sell it to you; you will have to obtain it elsewhere." She laughed. "Oh, do you take me for a fool? If I wanted to kill myself do you suppose I'd tell you? Honestly, I want the medicine for my husband, a longshoreman, who is in great distress." "That's different," said our young friend, who thereupon sold the poison and made her sign for it. As she passed out of the door she yelled in maniac tones: "Ya, ya! I got you that time! I'll be in hell in seven minutes!"

Colors to the Blind.

"Have you any conception of color?" a friend asked a blind man. "What idea have you when you hear colors mentioned?"

"A person blind from birth as I have been can have no possible proper conception of color," was the reply. "To me color is sound, or rather, music. When I hear the word red, for example, I instantly think of a high piercing note of music; blue is to me a delicately sounded note fairly high and pleasing in tone; green is a soft tone and rather low, quiet and restful; while yellow is lively, quick little notes rapidly sounding and causing pleasure, almost to laughter. Black, alas! is the only color we can realize, for we are told that that is the absence of all light, and we know only too well what that means."

Garbed Like Player Queen.

As she came into the corridor of the opera house every woman's eye turned in her direction, attracted by the curious head covering she wore. It looked like one of the crowns a player wears in a Shakespearean play, since it consisted of nothing but a band of heavy gold braid, of the kind known technically as "galloon," with a circular top to it fashioned of purple velvet. Around her neck she wore a thin scarf of a shade that toned in with the color of the velvet and the final touch of Shakespearean suggestion was added when she lifted up her skirts, disclosing her ankles clad in mauve silk stockings and her feet covered with a pair of sandals in mauve colored kid through the openings in which the stockings could be plainly seen.

Trying to Avoid Exposure.

Hicks—I carried my wife's umbrella with me yesterday and lost it somewhere. Now she wants to advertise it. Wicks—That's a good idea. It may be returned to her.

Hicks—That's just the trouble. I'm almost certain I left it in some saloon.

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WHOLE TOWN WON BY "REVIVAL"

Remarkable Success Attends Work of Evangelists at Abingdon, Illinois.

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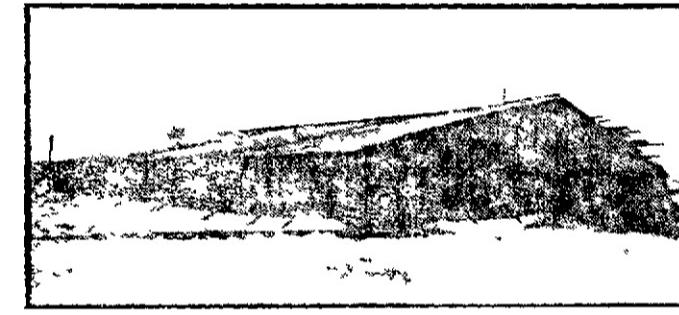
Over 700 Converts in City of About 2,500 Population—Churches Not Large Enough to Hold Crowds and a Tabernacle Erected by Voluntary Laborers—Business Men Plan to Build Permanent Y M C A Building for the Youth of the Town as a Monument to the Wonderful Work

Abingdon, Ill.—A remarkable revival has swept over this town, converting all save 200 of 2,500. The place is transformed. The streets ring with Gospel songs day and night. Cotton trade meetings are now the fashion, and the Amish, bowlers, who loved their gambling and swearing now sit in their houses reading their Bibles and praying. The community has been moved in much the same way it was when the Welsh miners in the field of the awakening there.

The movement began under the leadership of two young evangelists, Ira Evans Hicks and E. S. Galloway, assisted by Horace Alexander, brother of Charles M. Alexander, the famous Gospel singer. Some idea of the unusual wrought by the revival may be gained from the fact that there were over 700 converts with scores of back sliders returned to a town of only about 2,500 population.

Volunteers Erect Tabernacle

The meetings began a month ago in the largest church in Abingdon, seating 800 people. It's overflowed, so they too started with rental western encampments held by the evangelists than was set to work to erect a tabernacle. It would be imminent the day. With the assistance of about 300 volunteers a simple seat facing 2,000 was erected in three days. Next day was the first. It contains a semi-circular platform, one-half acre, was lined with seats, painted with bibles, and decorated with shining trees, saying



Immense Tabernacle Erected in Which Services Were Held

the meetings went forward with no doubt in the world. The tough young men of the town attended nightly, for ever we live for Jesus. This—it has paid many thousand fold. No value can be placed upon the good done during this revival meetings.

Praise Work of Evangelists

Christian people should thank God for the coming of Hicks and Galloway. They have awakened us—taught us—led us into a closer walk with God and best of all have piloted 500 precious souls over the turbulent waters of a sinful world to the foot of the Cross. Thank God—but God he caused for the great the marvelous glorious work of grace. Let all the people say Amen.

Revival Flame Strong

The revival flame swept the town almost clean. Who is the early morning we a boys and girls then came young men and women and finally men who had never professed Christianity but these men coffee students working in the factories and gray-haired army veterans. In a num-

drinking and swearing at the dinner hour, they now have a daily song service and prayer meeting. One of the factory converts was an atheist for many years who roundly cursed everything Christian. He now carries a little Testament in his pocket when ever he goes. Another convert was a notorious character about the town drinking and cursing and being once nearly killed in a brawl. He is a big, strong man and is now throwing all his energy into winning others. Within four days after his conversion he had led nine old companions to the front to publicly confess their faith.

Students Brought to Grace

Hocking College is located in Abingdon, and the revival wrought a big change there. Of the 1,000 regular students all but four or five are now converted. As one of the professors expressed it: "Nobody tries to keep track of the prayer meetings. The attendance varies from two up to almost the whole number of students."

One of the most enthusiastic converts was the editor of one of the local newspapers. He helped promote the movement and sent it through the country districts by placing his paper in the hands of its evangelists for a week. They issued three revival editions describing the work in Abingdon and giving news of the world wide awakening. In each issue there were about two columns of Scripture narrative, full page newspaper form and a decision card which could be signed by any reader and sent the evangelists. It created great interest.

Rev. F. J. Thompson, pastor of the Congregational church in Abingdon, gave one of the revival editions his impressions of the work said:

"The great revival which is sweeping over the city is the greatest blessing that has come to it since its inception. The churches are filled as never before.

Christians love one another as at no other time. And there are more saved souls in Abingdon today than in any period of her past history. Five hundred and more have been won

doubtlessly and gloriously converted to God. Husbands have been saved and their wives their bound them and made them stay. Wives have been saved from indifferent lives and made to shun sin for Jesus—while

seculars have gone back to the grave

where they were buried in their

bones and calling them come forth

encircled with shining trees, saying

Numerous "pocket" testaments have been organized among the boys and girls and young people of the town. Each member carries a testament in his or her pocket reads the Scriptures daily and endeavors to win others to Christ. The members meet weekly in one another's homes for testimony and prayer.

Another result of the revival is that several have decided to become preachers or gospel singers. One lad about 15 years of age said he had decided to become a minister while another about 12 said that was what he wanted to do. A young woman in a factory says in hopes shortly to go to the Moody Bible Institute to prepare for evangelistic work. He told

her that she was welcome to do so.

Eggs a la Suisse.—Fry eggs one-half cup cream, one tablespoon butter, two tablespoons grated cheese, salt, pepper, cayenne. Heat a small one-pan, put in butter and when melted add cream. Slip in the eggs one at a time, sprinkle with salt, pepper, and a few grains of cayenne. When whites are nearly firm, sprinkle with cheese. Finish cooking and serve on buttered toast. Strain cream over the toast.

Eggs a la Buckingham.—Make five slices milk toast and arrange on platter. Use recipe for scrambled eggs, having the eggs slightly underdone. Pour eggs over toast, sprinkle with four tablespoons grated mild cheese. Put in oven to melt cheese and finish cooking.

Eggs a la Finnoise.—Have ready a shallow pan two-thirds full of boiling salted water, allow one-half tablespoon salt to one quart of water. Put two or three buttered muffin pans in the water. Break each egg separately into a cup and carefully slip into muffin ring. The water should cover the eggs. When there is a film over the top and the white is firm, carefully remove with a buttered skimmer to circular pieces of buttered toast and cover with a tomato sauce seasoned with salt and pepper and butter.

Shirred Eggs.—Butter an egg shirrer. Cover bottom and sides with fine cracker crumbs. Break an egg into a cup and carefully slip into shirrer. Cover with seasoned buttered crumbs and bake in a moderate oven until white is firm and crumbs brown. The shirters should be placed on a tin plate that they may be removed easily from the oven.

Eggs in Tomatoes.—Cut a slice from stem end of tomato, scoop out the pulp slip in an egg, sprinkle with salt and pepper, cover with buttered crumbs and bake.

Eggs a la Goldenrod.—Three hard boiled eggs, one tablespoon butter, one tablespoon flour, one cup milk, one-half teaspoon salt, one-eighth teaspoon pepper, five slices toast, parmesan cheese.

Make a thin white sauce with butter, flour, milk and seasonings. Separate yolks from white of eggs. Chop whites finely and add them to the sauce. Cut four slices of toast in halves lengthwise, arrange on platter and pour over the sauce. Force the yolks through a potato ricer or strainer, sprinkling over the top. Garnish with parsley and remaining toast cut in points.

Egg Farce.—Cut hard boiled eggs in halves crosswise. Remove yolks and put whites aside in puffs. Mash yolks and add equal amount of cold cooked chicken or veal finely chopped. Melt with melted butter or mayonnaise

A Handy Remedy for Burns

I have often heard women say that they can never go near the kitchen stove without getting burned and no

doubt some of us if not all of us have suffered many big as well as little burns and scalds for the want of some simple remedy. Of course we all know that bicarbonate of soda or common baking soda is one of the simplest remedies, but even that does not give immediate relief. Kerosene is the easiest remedy to procure and is always handy in the kitchen, say

they put to that unique shape

from the all wise shades were not

complaining. They surprised me not

a little and have set me thinking. So

writes Mr. S. Angus Dennis Cumpton in

the January Pall Mall Magazine, and

a few of the many she gives are subjoined.

Why is it that the sun only goes

half way round the earth? Why is

it that we don't slip off the earth?

If the earth stopped what would happen to us?

How big is a volcano inside?

Who is the first school teacher?

Please tell me all about history?

When the world comes to an end

how can the people be united if parts

of their bodies are in different parts

of the world? Who is the man that invented grammar? What does ignorance personified mean? Where was God born? What holds this world up? Why did the Lord make many planets instead of one large one? If the earth stopped going

round what would happen? If you jumped off the world and went straight on where would you go to?

Why did Joseph not tell his brethren he was their brother the first time they came down in Egypt to buy corn?

What is the power of one of the suckers of a devilish?

Who is the prettiest person in the world?

Why did Noah take some animals

into the ark and have others to get

drowned?

Why is there such a thing as politics?

Why are some people more sensible than others?

It is a boy who writes. I would

like to know how you can tell mother

pigeons from father pigeons?

Who invented the first joke?

While the youngest girl in the whole class

wrote in a wee little hand, in the

middle of a sheet of foolscap, "Please

tell me what my mother thinks every day in her mind?"

A Foolish Question.

Dreamer—Do you think environment has much of an effect on a person?

Blunt—Thunderation! Were you ever surrounded by a swarm of bees?

Detroit Free Press.

WHEN SERVING EGGS

SOME NEW METHODS OF COOKING WORTH TRYING.

Departures from Old Styles That Will Be Appreciated by the Family or Guests—Eggs a la Goldenrod



Ira Evans Hicks

SNOWBALL PUSHBALL.

Fun Which the Boys Can Have with It.

The giant snowball when completed is usually fun only for the boy who can manufacture it on the top of a steep hill and then let it roll down, scattering snow and smashing everything in its path until it hits a tree or a fence and flies into a thousand pieces. That is really fun for the boy who lives where the hills are. But the boy who happens to live where the country is flat or in the city gets very

The ball is put in play in the middle of the field as in football, explains Good Nature. The teams line up on each side of it and at a given signal when no one can touch it with their hands and try to force it toward their opponents goal. The team that rolls it over its adversary's goal line wins.

Football tactics and body checking may or may not be used, but a player may not hold an opponent.

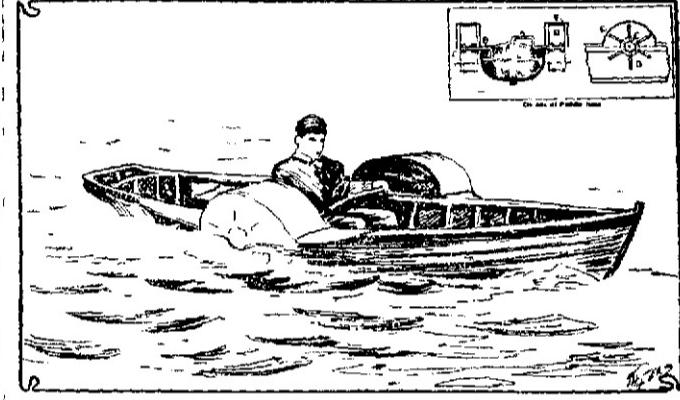
You may think this an easy game to play, but there is one thing which makes it quite unique and may change your opinion.

If you hold your game on a field when the snow is very deep and packy, the ball is bound to become larger and heavier with every revolution it makes on account of the snow it collects as it rolls along so that the nearer the winning side pushes it toward the weaker opponents goal the heavier and more awkward to manage it becomes until—

May just as they finally manage to force it within a few feet of the weaker side's goal line the ball grows so big that it is absolutely impossible to hold it—and then a big game results, much to the mortification of the strong team and the joyful surprise of their weaker opponents.

While it is being made measure off

Making a Paddle Boat for Next Summer



The Paddle Boat Complete, and the Working Parts.

A rowboat has several disadvantages. The operation of the oars is both tiresome and uninteresting and the oarsman is obliged to travel back and forth by replacing the oars with paddles as shown in the illustration. The operator can see where he is going and enjoy the exercise much better than with oars. He can easily steer the boat with his feet by means of a pivot stick on the bottom of the boat connected by cords to the rudder.

The following directions are given by Captain Seiner. At the blacksmith shop have a five-eighths inch shaft made as shown at A, Fig. 2. It will be necessary to furnish a sleeve giving all the dimensions of the shaft and the head of the boat taking care that sufficient clearance is allowed so that the oars can revolve without striking the operator's knees. If the

shaft is made of wood, it should be

hard wood but preferably of iron pipe

filled with melted babbitt. If babbitt is used either thoroughly smoke or

char the shaft or wrap paper around it to prevent the babbitt sticking. The piece of pipe may be then fastened to the boat by means of small pipe straps such as may be obtained at any plumber's at a very small cost.

The hub C should be made of

wood drilled to fit the shaft and mortised out to hold the paddles, D.

The covers E may be constructed of thin

wood or galvanized iron and should

be braced by triangular boards as

shown in Fig. 1. If galvanized iron is used it should be exposed to the weather two or three months before painting, or the paint will come off.

Painting the boat will give it a better appearance.

A PORTABLE DARK ROOM.

Outfit Which the Amateur Photographer Will Find Convenient

Many amateur photographers who cannot have a regular darkroom will find the device here illustrated very

useful and convenient. If desired it

may be constructed so as to allow

folding up when not in use by using

hinges at A and B and making the

sides flexible.

The bottom and frame are made of

wood and the walls are constructed of

light proof cloth formed by gluing

black paper between two pieces of

black cloth. The back should be tied

securely around his waist to exclude

every possible ray of light.

It is well to paint the whole interior

a dull black, so that any small leak

of light will not be reflected.

The ventilating tube and drain pipe

should be bent as shown to exclude the

light. The ruby glass should be care-

fully fitted for the same purpose.

It is also desirable to have a hinged

shutter, S, to cover the ruby glass

while waiting for the plate to develop.

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